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TOWN OF ESSEX
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WARNING

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 1, 1976

The legal voters of the Town of Essex in the County of Chittenden and State of Vermont are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Essex Junction Educational Center in Essex Junction, Vermont on Monday, March 1, 1976, at 7:30 p.m. in the afternoon, to transact the following business and to act upon the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. Shall the Town adopt a budget for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977 as recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 2. To act upon the reports of the officers.

Whereupon, after disposition of said business, said meeting shall be adjourned to the following day, March 2, 1976, for the consideration of the following articles to be voted upon by Australian ballot. The polls for said ballot shall be at the Essex Junction Educational Center, Essex Junction, and the Essex Middle School on Foster Road in Essex Center, and shall be open from 10:00 a.m., in the forenoon until 7:00 p.m. in the afternoon, at which time they shall be closed.

ARTICLE 1. Election of the following:

Moderator (one year term)

Treasurer (one year term)

Selectman (three year term)

Auditor (three year term)

ARTICLE 2. To cast ballots in the presidential preference primary.

ARTICLE 3. Shall the Town acquire the assets of the Village of Essex Center, Vermont consisting of a water distribution system, and assume the outstanding liabilities and bonded indebtedness thereon. The bonded indebtedness is in the amount of Forty eight thousand (\$48,000.00) dollars.

In the following proposed Town Charter changes, words to be deleted from the existing Charter are placed in brackets and words to be added are underlined.

ARTICLE 4. Shall the Town Charter be amended to restrict annexation of Town land by amendment of Section 101 of said Charter as follows:

SECTION 101: CORPORATE EXISTENCE RETAINED

The inhabitants of the Town of Essex, within the corporate limits as now established, shall continue to be a municipal corporation by the name of the Town of Essex. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other municipal Charters, territory within the corporate limits shall not be annexed to or become a part of any other municipal corporation except by annexation procedures as set forth in the Statutes of the State of Vermont.

ARTICLE 5. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide that the terms of office of Selectmen, Town Clerk, Moderator, Auditors, and Treasurer shall commence on the first day of July of each year by amending Sections 201 and 203 of said Charter as follows:

SECTION 201: OFFICERS GENERALLY

The elected officers of the Town of Essex shall be: Selectmen, Town Clerk, Moderator, Auditors, and Treasurer. Such officers shall have all the powers and duties necessary to carry out the provisions of this Charter as well as those provided by law. The terms of such officers shall commence on the first day of July following election.

SECTION 203. ORGANIZATION

(a) [Forthwith after their election and qualification] As soon as practicable after July 1, the Selectmen shall organize and elect a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Clerk by a majority vote of the entire Board, and shall file a certificate of such election for record in the office of the Town Clerk.

(c) In the event of death, resignation, or incapacity of any selectman, the remaining members of the board may appoint a person eligible to fill that position [until the next annual town meeting] At the next annual meeting the vacancy shall be filled by election with the elected selectmen taking office on July 1 following and serving the remaining balance of the term.

ARTICLE 6. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide that the terms of officers appointed by the Selectmen and Manager shall commence on the first day of July of each year by amending Sections 206 and 602 of said Charter as follows:

SECTION 206: APPOINTMENT BY SELECTMEN

(d) The terms of all appointed and elected officers shall commence on the first day of July following appointment unless the appointment is to fill a vacancy in an office, in which case the term shall commence at the time of appointment.

SECTION 602: OFFICIALS APPOINTED BY MANAGER

The town manager shall appoint with the approval of the Selectmen: Assistant Town Clerk, constables, grand juror, a town agent if the town attorney is not a resident of the town of Essex, cemetery commissioners, health officer, fire wardens, zoning administrator, and if needed, he may appoint a police chief, fence viewers, and inspector of lumber and shingles, and any other officer which the Selectmen of a town are authorized to appoint if the Selectmen have not filled the office. The terms of said appointed officials shall commence on the first day of July following appointment. Appointments to fill a vacancy in an office shall be effective at the time of appointment and shall run for the unexpired period of the term.

ARTICLE 7. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide that the annual Town Meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday in May of each year by amendment of Section 302 (a) and (b) of said Charter as follows:

SECTION 302: TIME OF HOLDING

(a) The annual Town meeting for the consideration of the budget and other Town business shall be held on the Monday evening preceding the first Tuesday in [March] May unless otherwise changed by the Selectmen under authority of this Charter.

(b) The election of officers and the voting on all questions to be decided by Australian ballot shall take place on the first Tuesday in [March] May or at such other time as designated by the applicable Vermont Statute. The ballot boxes or voting machines shall be open for a minimum of 9 consecutive hours between 6 a.m. and 10 p.m. as shall be determined and warned by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 8. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide for the use of voting machines by addition of the words "or voting machines" to Section 302 (b) as set forth in ARTICLE 7 previous hereof.

ARTICLE 9. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide that payments of real and personal property taxes shall be paid in two equal installments payable on September 15 and March 15 of each fiscal year by amendment of Section 801 of the Charter as follows:

SECTION 801: TAXES ON REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

The taxes on real and personal property shall be paid in [four] two equal payments, with [1/4] 1/2 of the annual tax bill for each tax payer due and payable on September [1] 15 and [December 1, March 1, and June 1] March 15 of each fiscal year.

ARTICLE 10. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide that poll taxes shall be due and payable on September 1 of each fiscal year by amendment of Section 802 of the Charter as follows:

SECTION 802: POLL TAXES

[All] Poll Taxes, if required by Vermont State Law shall be due and payable on [July 15] September 1 of each tax year.

ARTICLE 11. Shall the Town Charter be amended to provide that interest on delinquent taxes shall be charged at the rate of one percent per month on the unpaid tax by amendment of Section 803 of said Charter as follows:

SECTION 803: PENALTY

An additional charge of 8 percent shall be added to any tax not paid on or before the dates specified in Sections 801 and 802 of this Charter, and interest in the amount of [one half of] 1 percent of the amount of the unpaid tax per month for each month or fraction thereof after the date on which the tax payment was due.

Dated at Essex, Vermont, this 30th day of January, 1976.

Barbara A. Higgins
Barbara A. Higgins

Robert E. Kennison
Robert E. Kennison

Charles E. Ketcham
Charles E. Ketcham

David C. Willey
David C. Willey

John L. Bartlett
John L. Bartlett

BOARD OF SELECTMEN



Town of Essex

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LIST OF ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS

John Keene	Moderator
Jane M. Yandow	Town Clerk
Frank R. Bent	Town Treasurer

SELECTMEN

Barbara A. Higgins	Term expires 1977
Robert E. Kennison	Term expires 1976
David C. Willey	Term expires 1977
Charles E. Ketcham	Term expires 1978
John L. Bartlett	Term expires 1978

AUDITORS

Winfield Tandy	Term expires 1976
Pammella S. Starbuck	Term expires 1978
Donald J. Kernan	Term expires 1977

Kevin D. Ryan	CWD Commissioner
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JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

Nancy Bartlett	Barbara B. Mudgett
Dawn Hill	Martin E. Powell
Louise Kolvoord	Dan G. Southworth
Edward Von Sitas	Philip M. Cohen
Louis C. Kalanges	Louis N. Lavoie
Ernest E. Carlson	Janet M. Powell
Barbara H. Fondry	Barbara M. Thompson
Francis I. Wood	

LIST OF APPOINTED TOWN OFFICERS

Kevin D. Ryan	Town Manager
Kevin D. Ryan	Road Commissioner
Jane M. Yandow	Assistant Town Treasurer
Catherine J. Jones	Assistant Town Clerk

Jerry L. Firkey	Constable
Edward S. Von Sitas	Health Officer
William A. Duff	Regional Planning Commission
Charles E. Ketcham	Commissioner, CCTA
Kevin D. Ryan	Commissioner, CCTA
Philip W. Noyes, Sr.	Fire Chief
Alfred LaFrance	Fire Warden
Kevin D. Ryan	Deputy Fire Warden
Edward Von Sitas	Civil Defense Director
Kevin D. Ryan	Town Service Officer
Kevin D. Ryan	Zoning Administrator
Jerry L. Firkey	Zoning Enforcement Officer
Russell Reay	Tree Warden
Edward L. Baker	Assessor
Richard O. Callahan	Associate Assessor

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Katherine Mack	Term expires 1976
Ann G. Osborne	Term expires 1977
Donna Rutz	Term expires 1978
Bernice Bixby	Term expires 1976

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Graton A. Chapin	Term expires 1976
Walter Palmer	Term expires 1977
George Tomlinson	Term expires 1978
Perry H. Towers	Term expires 1978
Henry Cota	Term expires 1976

TOWN PLANNING COMMISSION

Noah C. Thompson, Chairman	Term expires 1978
Robert Mitchell	Term expires 1977
Russell Reay	Term expires 1977
Ann Harroun	Term expires 1978
Mary Reilly	Term expires 1978
John Morris	Term expires 1976
Peter Lyon	Term expires 1976

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

James Christman	Term expires 1977
Robert Call	Term expires 1976
Paul A. Bruso	Term expires 1978
Hugh Sweeney	Term expires 1976
Robert Page	Term expires 1978

MANAGER'S AND SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The following report lists some of the significant issues deliberated by the Board of Selectmen during 1975. Not all of the activities of the Board or the manager, of course, can be listed herein and various reports and supplemental information are contained elsewhere herein.

In March of 1975 Carlton Houghton's term as selectman ended and John L. Bartlett was elected to succeed him. At its annual organization meeting, the Board elected Barbara Higgins, Chairman, Charles E. Ketcham, Vice Chairman, and John L. Bartlett, Clerk.

In April of 1975 Flood Plain areas for the Town were designated by the federal government making it necessary for the Town to apply for approval for sale of flood insurance. This was necessary as certain mortgages and refinancing are no longer available without this form of insurance. Our application was approved subsequently and flood insurance is now available in the town planning region.

Also during April, the town had completed an "infiltration inflow study" preliminary to further development of a town sewer system. In June the town signed contracts with Essex Junction for sewerage collection and treatment. We are now within two years of the system's development, according to the funding schedule which is under the control of the State and Federal Governments.

The manager recommended and the Board approved purchase of a new compactor for the landfill using current budget funds and accumulated litter funds (\$22,500) in order to obtain better compaction and reduced repair costs.

The firm of Gordon and Sherman of Montpelier was engaged to prepare the reports for the town auditors.

In May 1975 the board renewed a contract for townwide dog control with K9 control. They may be contacted directly for dog complaints, lost dogs, etc.

It was decided in May to postpone Charter amendments to avoid the cost of a special meeting. Charter changes recommended by the selectmen are included in the warning beginning on the back cover of this report.

The town public works employees voted to be represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees. A negotiated contract was signed with the bargaining unit in September of 1975.

The Essex Junction Trustees proposed to net \$50,000 from taxpayers outside the village for police service. It would be necessary to add \$175,000 to accomplish this, according to their formula. The trustees proposal and a proposal for a three man police force in the town (\$77,000) and a proposal to assume the total function of the village department were brought to a special town meeting in May following a petition to the selectmen. Also considered at that time was a \$63,000 local share for a swimming pool in Essex Center. All of the proposals were defeated. Village Police service to the town ended on July 1, 1975.

During June, bus service was extended to Essex Center by the Chittenden County Transportation Authority. Mayor Paquette of Burlington and Ralph Cramer, Manager of CCTA, with representatives of the communities went to Washington to promote a bill (S 662) in Congress, which would entitle Essex and the other communities to a part of their subsidy to the CCTA from the Federal government. Although the bill has slowed down, we are optimistic about its ultimate passage.

During June 1975 the manager began discussions with Essex Center Village, ultimately resulting in the warning, contained elsewhere herein, which seeks to merge the Essex Center water system with the town's system. It is thought that more efficient operation of both systems will result.

Effective in July 1975, the contract with Essex Junction for fire service was cancelled when a renewal figure could not be agreed upon. Responsibility for fire protection for the entire town was given to the town department, which has mutual aid agreements with Colchester Center and St. Michael's Fire Departments, thus providing a quick response to the area west of route 2A.

The Selectmen spent considerable time reviewing and recommending on the regional plan entitled "We Are Not the Last Generation."

During the special session of the Legislature, the selectmen by resolution opposed the increase to the state sales tax and so advised our representatives.

In October 1975 the town started tax sale procedures in an attempt to collect back taxes from several delinquents. The project was very successful and is continuing. Legal and other

costs are borne entirely by the delinquent and there is no cost to other taxpayers.

The Selectmen approved a \$6,000 (town) \$4,000 (Essex Players) match for repairs to the Old Town Hall to make much needed repairs to that historic building.

Late in October a fire broke out underground at the Landfill. The fire ran as much as 60 feet deep in spots and generated extremely high temperatures. A slow process of digging and extinguishing was begun immediately and continued to the end of the year.

Contracts were signed with ten farmers to provide a reduced tax rate (60%) on the open farm land as authorized by the March 1975 town meeting.

Word was received in November of approval of a grant in excess of \$300,000 for reconstruction of Sand Hill Road under the Urban Systems program of the Federal Highway Act of 1973. The town's share of 15% (\$45,000) is proposed in this year's highway budget.

In December of 1975, the report of the Town Attorney was received on the accuracy of the line between town and village school districts. It was indicated after much research that the line was substantially correct and only minor additional research was left to conclude the inquiry.

As of December 12, 1975, the Town of Essex was completely without debt. Water Department and sidewalk notes had been fully satisfied and current short term or tax anticipation notes were paid off.

During 1975, drainage ditches and culverts were installed or replaced on Weed Road, Old Colchester Road, Landfill Road, Lamore Road and Discovery Road. Culverts were installed, repaired or replaced on Lost Nation Road, Sand Hill Road, Chapin Road, Brigham Hill Road and Colonel Page Road.

Repaving or reconstruction of road surface was done on Chapin Road, Skyline Drive, Forest Road, Woodlawn Drive, and Cypress Lane, which had been completely washed out.

A new loop was constructed from Sand Hill Road to Route 15 (Jericho Road) to eliminate the reverse curve at that intersection.

The highway garage area, which customarily held two feet of water throughout the spring, was paved and drained.

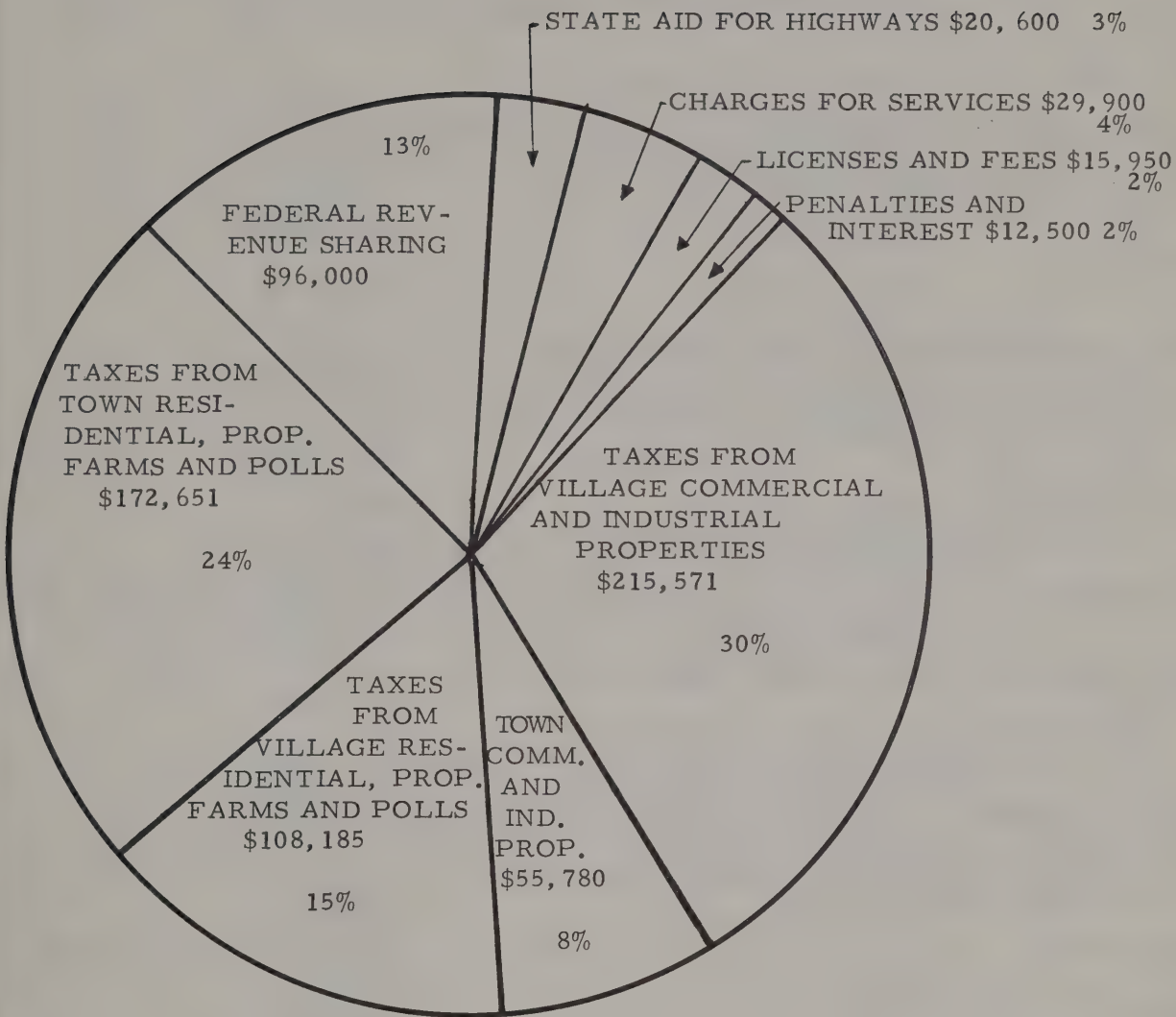
The highway department can now better function in serving other areas having removed the mud and flood problem from its own front door. The highway department project has added considerably aesthetically to the landscaping that has been done at Sand Hill Road and Foster Road where Town Fire, Recreation, and Highway Department facilities are located.

MAJOR BUDGET PROPOSALS

3000-40	\$ 2,190.00	Total amount is for membership in the League of Cities and Towns.
3210-10	\$ 36,823.00	Includes full year funding for accountant-data processing supervisor.
0000-15		In any category includes Blue Cross/Blue Shield and Social Security.
0000-34		In any account includes telephone and postage.
3400-48	\$ 15,000.00	Includes all insurance.
3400-66	\$ 8,900.00	Rental of Town offices.
3410	\$ 15,000.00	Major portion is data processing lease costs, computer time and programming.
3610-10	\$ 10,180.00	Salary of Zoning Enforcement Officer which is included with expenses of the Board of Zoning Adjustment as a single activity.
4150-56	\$ 4,500.00	Funding of the contract with K-9 Control of South Burlington for dog ordinance enforcement.
4160	\$ 1,000.00	Town contribution to Essex Rescue, Inc. equivalent to approximately one month's operating cost.
4580	\$ 45,000.00	This includes \$40,000 for the purchase of a new pumper and \$5,000 for misc. other equipment.
5000-10	\$ 13,038.00	Director of Public Works Office for Supervision of Highway, Water, and Landfill.
5100-21	\$ 23,000.00	Major portion Gasoline and Oil.
5100-22	\$ 5,000.00	Major portion maintenance supplies of highway vehicles.
5100-56	\$ 2,000.00	Service contracted to others: Street sweeping and catch basin cleaning.
5100-60	\$ 2,200.00	Engineering and surveying services.
5100-66	\$ 5,300.00	Rental of specialized equipment.
5100-68	\$ 18,000.00	Vehicle and equipment repair.
5110	\$ 49,000.00	Includes paving and road repair, also sand, gravel and other materials.
5115	\$ 45,000.00	This amount is the town's share of 15% of \$300,000 Urban Systems Grant Federal Highway Act which is to be used for the reconstruction of Sand Hill Road.
5130	\$ 2,000.00	Primarily signs, guardrails, etc. formerly Signs, Rails and Materials.
5140	\$ 22,000.00	Materials for snow and ice removal, primarily sand, gravel, and salt.
5330	\$ 20,000.00	This amount is for the replacement of a dump truck.
7000-10	\$ 7,000.00	Summer playground supervisors, custodial service for winter programs, and other temporary employees.
7000-56	\$ 13,700.00	Includes pool use and other programs.

7000-79	\$ 1,000.00	Donation to Retired Senior Volunteer Program for program within Essex.
7000-44	\$ 500.00	Town participation in Burlington International Games.
7610	\$ 10,000.00	Continuation of development of 68 acres fronting the Winooski River opposite Fort Ethan Allen.
7800-44	\$ 6,080.00	Donation equal to expenses of Town Library to Brownell Library in Essex Junction.
9300	-0-	No amount has been shown because of the great fluctuation in the County Tax over past few years. This tax will be added to tax bills when finalized by the county officials. Current projections for Essex are about \$34,000.00.
9392	\$ 13,000.00	This amount of subsidy for the Transportation Authority will be favorable affected if new federal legislation becomes a reality as is expected. If so, the Federal Government will participate in subsidies as well as capitol programs.
9393	\$ 1,601.00	Amounts requested respectively by these agencies as Town share as member community.
9394	\$ 5,664.00	
9910	\$ 12,000.00	Contingency - A practical approach to the realization that there are always increased costs, new programs and emergencies unforeseen 18 months before the new fiscal period runs its course.

Informational note - The current budget proposal less the receipts from other sources provides for an amount to be raised by taxes of \$455,687.00. Current Grand List projections are Village - \$707,706.55, Town - \$292,450.76 and combined total - \$1,000,157.31.



THE TOWN BUDGET

WHERE THE MONEY COMES FROM

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING

Entitlement Period January 1, 1973 - June 30, 1973

Received from U. S. Government	\$147,812.00
Due from Federal Government (Payment Rec. after the close of the Fiscal Year)	33,475.00
Interest earned	<u>3,560.00</u>
Total to fund	184,847.00
Expenditures	<u>-0-</u>
Balance 6/30/73	\$184,847.00

Entitlement Period July 1, 1973 - June 30, 1974

Balance	\$184,847.00
Received from U.S. Government	\$108,930.00
Less Due from 1973 shown above	<u>33,474.00</u>
Interest Earned	75,456.00
Due from Federal Government (Payment Rec. after the close of the Fiscal Year)	10,561.00
Total to fund	<u>25,152.00</u>
Expenditures	\$296,016.00
Balance 6/30/74	<u>205,667.00</u>
	\$ 90,349.00

Budget 216,000

Entitlement Period July 1, 1974 - June 30, 1974

Balance	\$ 90,349.00
Received from U. S. Government	\$108,931.00
Less Due from 1974 shown above	<u>25,152.00</u>
Interest Earned	83,779.00
Refund	5,493.00
Due from Federal Government (Payment Rec. after the close of the Fiscal year)	50.00
Total to fund	<u>27,927.00</u>
Expenditures	\$207,598.00
Balance 6/30/75	<u>* 96,639.00</u>
Reserved	\$110,959.00
	<u>* 50,000.00</u>
	\$ 60,959.00

Budget 149,200 *

*Variance of budget to expenditures 1974-1975 consists largely of \$ 50,000 reserve for sewer easement acquisition.

Cash in Checking Account	\$ 17,162.00
Savings Accounts (Includes \$50,000 sewer Appropriation)	75,331.00
Due from Federal Government	<u>27,927.00</u>
	\$120,420.00
Less Liability due as of June 30, 1975	<u>9,461.00</u>
Balance 6/30/75	<u>\$110,959.00</u>

COMPARISON SUMMARY OF BUDGETS
PAST AND CURRENT YEARS AND PROPOSED 1976-1977

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated 1975-1976	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
Legislative	7,700.00	7,438.39	6,800.00	7,399.45	7,400.00
Executive	37,950.00	38,196.33	41,056.00	42,429.68	45,023.00
Elections	4,000.00	8,708.93	4,300.00	4,300.00	8,600.00
Finance	78,000.00	57,634.54	60,177.00	53,884.64	56,161.00
Real Estate Appraisal	40,036.00	49,084.58	37,015.00	42,243.48	44,980.00
Tax Collection	-0-	1,566.80	2,400.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
Town Clerk	29,919.00	30,723.00	35,378.00	34,337.77	35,603.00
Legal	5,000.00	4,304.45	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Planning Commission	1,500.00	498.89	915.00	912.56	970.00
Municipal Zoning	9,880.00	12,116.81	12,309.00	12,955.32	13,750.00
Building Repair and Maintenance	-0-	1,075.00	8,000.00	6,000.00	-0-
Public Safety	17,550.00	14,142.52	7,000.00	6,625.00	6,000.00
Fire Department	47,400.00	50,051.34	36,007.00	31,394.35	66,445.00
Civil Defense	100.00	-0-	100.00	100.00	100.00
Public Works Office	13,000.00	12,725.44	13,779.00	14,506.01	15,376.00
Highway Department	189,255.00	232,633.14	193,629.00	217,287.30	273,386.00
Landfill	32,170.00	75,670.57	33,796.00	42,857.39	33,735.00
Cemeteries	3,500.00	3,657.90	3,640.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
Public Health	10,350.00	9,635.26	10,750.00	10,750.00	10,750.00
Recreation	58,000.00	58,352.20	35,115.00	31,833.27	37,213.00
Library	7,400.00	9,152.67	8,816.00	10,459.53	12,162.00
Conservation of Natural Resources	6,700.00	6,073.25	7,518.00	7,518.00	7,518.00
Economic Development GBIC	4,590.00	4,561.39	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
Debt Management	15,200.00	16,692.37	15,000.00	14,650.00	2,100.00
County Tax	19,000.00	23,430.60	-0-	-0-	-0-
Intergovernmental Expenditures	15,333.00	25,207.32	19,406.00	24,858.19	20,265.00
Infiltration-Inflow	-0-	12,200.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
Contingency	12,000.00	-0-	12,000.00	-0-	12,000.00
Sewer Easements	50,000.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
TOTALS	715,533.00	765,533.69	614,406.00	634,901.94	727,137.00

GENERAL FUND REVENUES
PAST AND CURRENT YEARS AND ESTIMATED 1976-1977

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated 1975-1976	Estimated 1976-1977
2030-10 Penalties and Interest	8,000.00	33,463.00	12,500.00	13,000.00	12,500.00
2101 Alcoholic Bev. Sales Permits		1,683.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
2120 Dog Licenses	3,800.00	3,970.00	4,400.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
2121 Building Permits	2,000.00	2,467.00	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00
2210 Federal Revenue Sharing	149,200.00	96,639.00 ⁽¹⁾	111,000.00	111,000.00	96,000.00
2240 State Aid Highway	17,500.00	20,255.00	25,000.00	20,610.19	20,600.00
2241 CETA or EEA	-0-	11,464.00	-0-	9,000.00	-0-
2242 State Water Resources	-0-	12,200.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
2250 Railroad Tax	-0-	1,987.00	1,900.00	1,900.00	1,900.00
2270 Gas Reimbursement	7,000.00	16,221.00	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
2300 Court Costs, Fees and Charges	-0-	-0-	-0-	1,700.00	-0-
2310 Recording Legal Documents	10,000.00	12,992.00	13,200.00	14,308.50	13,500.00
2312 Licenses and Fees	2,500.00	4,477.00	3,200.00	3,400.00	3,400.00
2330 Sale of Maps	-0-	8.65	10.00	10.00	-0-
2331 Sale of History Books	-0-	302.50	150.00	150.00	-0-
2332 Sale of Certified Copies	-0-	421.00	400.00	319.20	400.00
2350 Copying	1,800.00	1,829.00	1,800.00	1,671.96	1,600.00
2351 Charges Use of the Vault	325.00	847.00	730.00	1,265.00	1,300.00
2370 Zoning Hearing Fees	-0-	340.00	300.00	453.60	450.00
2371 Zoning Ordinance Pamphlets	-0-	68.00	50.00	100.00	100.00
2391 Special Service Fees	-0-	500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
2392 Sales of Check Lists	-0-	65.00	30.00	-0-	-0-
2393 Prepared Reports	-0-	6.50	-0-	-0-	-0-
2420 Special Fire Dept. Services	-0-	2,591.00	2,000.00	2,700.00	2,000.00
2443 Septic Tank Inspection Fees	-0-	67.00	-0-	100.00	100.00
2500 Landfill Permit	-0-	3,773.00	3,800.00	3,800.00	3,800.00
2540 Equipment Rentals	-0-	119.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
2571 Sales of Scrap Metal	-0-	75.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
2900 Special Litter Levy	-0-	22,542.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
2970 Refunds	-0-	455.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
2999 Misc.	5,000.00	552.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Total Non Tax Revenue	207,125.00	252,379.65	193,770.00	202,788.45	174,950.00
Highway Tax	86,400.00	86,089.00	91,608.00	89,514.35	96,500.00
General Tax	422,008.00	406,653.00	329,028.00	356,197.45 ⁽²⁾	455,687.00
Total Revenue	715,533.00	745,121.65	614,406.00	648,500.25	727,137.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

LEGISLATIVE - SELECTMEN

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
3000-10 Selectmen's Salaries	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
3000-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	1,200.00	1,200.00	2,190.00	2,199.45	2,200.00
3080 Printing Ordinances and Proceedings	4,000.00	3,318.39	1,750.00	2,250.00	2,250.00
3090 Secretary or Clerk	-0-	420.00	360.00	450.00	450.00
TOTALS	7,700.00	7,438.39	6,800.00	7,399.45	7,400.00

EXECUTIVE - TOWN MANAGER

3210-10 Salaries and Wages	32,050.00	26,193.43	33,953.00	34,738.08	36,823.00
3210-15 Employee's Benefits	-0-	3,567.82	3,563.00	3,537.48	3,750.00
3210-20 Office Supplies	1,500.00	478.65	700.00	660.72	700.00
3210-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	32.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
3210-30 Advertising	-0-	(1.00)	200.00	200.00	200.00
3210-34 Communication	500.00	967.31	850.00	850.00	850.00
3210-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	300.00	545.92	400.00	400.00	500.00
3210-44 Contributions, Grants and Subsidies	-0-	-0-	-0-	20.50	-0-
3210-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	36.75	100.00	255.50	300.00
3210-60 Professional Services	-0-	2,369.25	-0-	-0-	-0-
3210-62 Printing & Binding	-0-	44.15	300.00	300.00	300.00
3210-66 Rentals	-0-	573.98	650.00	475.00	500.00
3210-68 Repairs & Maintenance	800.00	233.28	90.00	242.40	250.00
3210-74 Travel & Transportation	2,800.00	2.79	50.00	50.00	50.00
3210-83 Machinery & Equipment	-0-	3,152.00	-0-	500.00	600.00
TOTALS	37,950.00	38,196.33	41,056.00	42,429.68	45,023.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
ELECTIONS					
3300 Registering Voters and Maintaining Checklist	-0-	635.75	300.00	300.00	600.00
3310 Expenditures Conducting Elections & Town Meeting	-0-	8,073.18	4,000.00	4,000.00	8,000.00
TOTALS	4,000.00	8,708.93	4,300.00	4,300.00	8,600.00
FINANCE - TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT					
3400-10 Salaries and Wages	9,500.00	8,750.22	9,680.00	9,680.00	10,260.00
3400-15 Employee Benefits	31,500.00	505.48	567.00	567.00	601.00
3400-20 Office Supplies	2,000.00	741.30	400.00	271.56	400.00
3400-30 Advertising	-0-	107.39	60.00	60.00	-0-
3400-34 Communications	-0-	176.39	200.00	277.44	300.00
3400-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	-0-	10.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
3400-48 Insurance and Fidelity Bonds	-0-	15,996.86	21,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
3400-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	21.25	-0-	-0-	-0-
3400-60 Professional Services	-0-	1,760.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
3400-66 Rentals	6,000.00	11,341.27	8,905.00	8,828.64	8,900.00
3400-68 Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	172.00	90.00	125.00	125.00
3400-74 Travel and Transportation	-0-	-0-	25.00	25.00	25.00
3400-83 Machinery and Equipment	-0-	651.50	-0-	-0-	-0-
3410 Accounting, Bookkeeping and Data Processing	25,000.00	15,400.88	15,000.00	14,000.00	15,000.00
3420 Auditing	4,000.00	2,000.00	4,200.00	5,000.00	5,500.00
TOTALS	78,000.00	57,634.54	60,177.00	53,884.64	56,161.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
REAL ESTATE APPRAISAL					
3430-10 Salaries and Wages	31,636.00	37,330.37	31,354.00	34,073.52	36,118.00
3430-15 Employee's Benefits	-0-	5,471.30	4,045.00	5,950.08	6,307.00
3430-20 Office Supplies	1,200.00	759.31	300.00	260.00	300.00
3430-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	212.62	-0-	-0-	-0-
3430-30 Advertising	-0-	-0-	30.00	30.00	30.00
3430-34 Communications	600.00	1,919.19	336.00	816.24	900.00
3430-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	400.00	50.35	200.00	130.00	150.00
3430-56 Other Purchased Services	6,000.00	1,203.80	-0-	-0-	-0-
3430-62 Printing and Binding	-0-	1,287.00	100.00	140.00	300.00
3430-66 Rentals	-0-	171.66	300.00	68.64	75.00
3430-68 Repairs and Maintenance	200.00	375.88	300.00	300.00	300.00
3430-74 Travel and Transportation	-0-	303.10	50.00	475.00	500.00
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	40,036.00	49,084.58	37,015.00	42,243.48	44,980.00
TOTALS					
3440 Tax Collection	-0-	1,566.80	2,400.00	4,500.00	4,500.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE					
3500-10 Salaries and Wages	22,719.00	20,989.06	23,220.00	23,220.00	24,613.00
3500-15 Employee's Benefits	-0-	3,854.67	3,633.00	4,354.09	4,615.00
3500-20 Office Supplies	4,000.00	891.41	1,000.00	1,118.76	1,200.00
3500-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	850.75	2,000.00	506.76	1,000.00
3500-22 Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	-0-	75.00	75.00	75.00
3500-30 Advertising	-0-	-0-	200.00	200.00	200.00
3500-34 Communications	500.00	735.38	650.00	634.68	700.00
3500-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	200.00	36.85	100.00	88.00	100.00
3500-56 Other Purchased Services	1,500.00	41.88	1,500.00	800.00	800.00
3500-62 Printing and Binding	-0-	769.36	200.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
3500-66 Rentals	-0-	2,393.78	2,000.00	2,077.32	1,000.00
3500-68 Repairs and Maintenance	1,000.00	159.86	800.00	263.16	300.00
TOTALS	29,919.00	30,723.00	35,378.00	34,337.77	35,603.00
3510 Legal Services	5,000.00	4,304.45	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
PLANNING COMMISSION					
3600-20 Office Supplies	-0-	14.17	30.00	30.00	30.00
3600-30 Advertising	-0-	27.00	60.00	84.96	100.00
3600-34 Communications	-0-	23.20	25.00	31.20	40.00
3600-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	434.52	400.00	566.40	600.00
3600-62 Printing and Binding	-0-	-0-	400.00	200.00	200.00
TOTALS	1,500.00	498.89	915.00	912.56	970.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
ZONING BOARD					
3610-10 Salaries and Wages	8,730.00	8,715.54	9,604.00	9,604.00	10,180.00
3610-15 Employee Benefits	-0-	1,679.77	1,320.00	1,925.00	2,040.00
3610-20 Office Supplies	450.00	197.57	100.00	94.68	100.00
3610-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	-0-	-0-	33.72	40.00
3610-30 Advertising	-0-	119.40	100.00	156.24	150.00
3610-34 Communications	-0-	387.92	300.00	268.56	280.00
3610-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	350.00	83.53	75.00	75.00	75.00
3610-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	260.00	200.00	364.80	370.00
3610-62 Printing and Binding	-0-	148.20	75.00	75.00	75.00
3610-66 Rental	-0-	95.11	135.00	54.96	135.00
3610-68 Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	217.97	200.00	27.84	30.00
3610-74 Travel and Transportation	350.00	211.80	200.00	275.52	275.00
TOTALS	9,880.00	12,116.81	12,309.00	12,955.32	13,750.00
3710 Building Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	1,075.00	8,000.00	6,000.00	-0-
PUBLIC SAFETY					
4100-56 Other Purchased Services	12,000.00	11,000.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
4150-56 Dog Control	4,700.00	2,812.50	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
4150-60 Professional Services	700.00	250.02	500.00	125.00	500.00
4150-70 Providing Special Services, Misc.	150.00	80.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
4160 Donation Essex Rescue	-0-	-0-	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,000.00
TOTALS	17,550.00	14,142.52	7,000.00	6,625.00	6,000.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
FIRE DEPARTMENT					
4500-10 Salaries and Wages	3,000.00	6,353.35	4,200.00	5,560.00	5,500.00
4500-15 Employee's Benefits	-0-	365.44	245.00	376.16	320.00
4500-20 Office Supplies	1,000.00	142.95	250.00	250.00	250.00
4500-21 Operating Supplies (Bldg)	1,200.00	4,442.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
4500-22 Repairs and Maintenance					
Supplies	500.00	432.94	300.00	300.00	300.00
4500-23 Small Tools and Equipment	-0-	28.79	200.00	360.00	200.00
4500-34 Communications (Tel.)	800.00	904.98	680.00	864.60	900.00
4500-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Meetings	-0-	151.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
4500-56 Other Purchased Services	1,200.00	165.56	7,000.00	180.00	500.00
4500-60 Professional Services	18,000.00	13,184.50	-0-	-0-	-0-
4500-62 Printing and Binding	-0-	49.15	50.00	50.00	50.00
4500-66 Rentals	-0-	1,532.14	732.00	732.00	800.00
4500-68 Repairs and Maintenance	1,000.00	465.08	300.00	300.00	300.00
4500-72 Taxes, Licenses & Registrations	-0-	8.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
4500-74 Travel and Transportation	-0-	44.77	50.00	50.00	50.00
4500-76 Utilities	-0-	379.02	1,000.00	319.68	375.00
4520 Fire Prevention	1,000.00	377.46	1,000.00	619.68	1,000.00
4530 Fire Training	1,000.00	693.50	1,000.00	1,263.60	1,000.00
4540 Fire Communications	12,000.00	11,111.17	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
4570-68 Building Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	1,472.29	800.00	800.00	800.00
4570-81 Building Improvements	-0-	662.29	500.00	500.00	500.00
4580-21 Fire Equipment Operating Supplies	700.00	690.57	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
4580-68 Fire Trucks Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	1,286.79	1,000.00	2,168.63	1,500.00
4580 Machinery and Equipment	6,000.00	5,107.60	9,600.00	9,600.00	45,000.00
TOTALS	47,400.00	50,051.34	36,007.00	31,394.35	66,445.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
4700 Civil Defense	100.00	-0-	100.00	100.00	100.00
PUBLIC WORKS					
5000-10 Salaries and Wages	-0-	11,180.00	12,300.00	12,300.00	13,038.00
5000-15 Employee's Benefits	-0-	1,545.44	1,479.00	2,206.01	2,338.00
TOTALS	13,000.00	12,725.44	13,779.00	14,506.01	15,376.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT					
5100-10 Salaries and Wages	42,855.00	48,306.83	45,509.00	56,117.28	53,768.00
5100-15 Employee Benefits	-0-	6,917.37	6,720.00	7,628.06	7,218.00
5100-20 Office Supplies	-0-	52.71	100.00	100.00	100.00
5100-21 Operating Supplies	17,800.00	24,413.66	21,000.00	23,044.92	23,000.00
5100-22 Repairs and Maint. Supplies	5,000.00	3,121.49	5,000.00	4,954.56	5,000.00
5100-23 Small Tools and Equipment	600.00	1,371.17	900.00	746.64	900.00
5100-30 Advertising	-0-	47.90	50.00	54.72	50.00
5100-34 Communications	-0-	328.09	250.00	328.44	350.00
5100-40 Dues, Subscriptions and Mtgs.	-0-	2.00	-0-	-0-	50.00
5100-56 Other Purchased Services	700.00	1,035.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
5100-60 Professional Services	1,500.00	4,659.08	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,200.00
5100-66 Rentals	3,000.00	4,103.15	4,000.00	6,212.52	5,300.00
5100-68 Repairs and Maintenance	11,000.00	20,100.16	11,000.00	18,000.00	18,000.00
5100-72 Taxes, Licenses and Registrations	-0-	3.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
5100-74 Travel and Transportation	-0-	88.76	-0-	-0-	-0-
5100-76 Utilities	-0-	594.39	-0-	320.64	350.00
5100-83 Machinery and Equipment	-0-	5,057.92	6,000.00	6,000.00	-0-
5110 Summer Construction and Maintenance	51,000.00	47,264.53	49,000.00	49,000.00	49,000.00
5115 Construction - Town Share of Urban Systems Grant	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	45,000.00
5130 Federal Highway Act	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
5130 Installing and Maint. Traffic Control Devices	-0-	1,576.49	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
5140 Winter Maintenance	19,000.00	31,757.06	22,000.00	22,000.00	22,000.00
5170-68 Building Repairs and Maint.	-0-	-0-	-0-	479.52	1,000.00
5200 Const. & Maintaining Sidewalks	-0-	125.43	500.00	500.00	500.00
5220 Const. & Maint. Storm Drainage Systems	-0-	1,472.27	3,000.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
5240 Const. & Maint. Bridges, Viaducts	3,000.00	222.66	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
5280 Const. & Maint. St. Lights	8,800.00	10,673.02	11,400.00	11,000.00	11,000.00
5330 Buying & Maint. Vehicles	25,000.00	19,339.00	-0-	-0-	20,000.00
TOTALS	189,255.00	232,633.14	193,629.00	217,227.20	272,206.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
LANDFILL					
5430-10 Salaries and Wages	14,000.00	17,753.56	21,000.00	23,490.00	22,500.00
5430-15 Employee Benefits	-0-	1,996.29	2,746.00	3,194.25	3,385.00
5430-21 Operating Supplies	1,270.00	2,439.05	1,000.00	2,762.64	2,800.00
5430-22 Repair and Maint. Supplies	-0-	11.10	100.00	100.00	100.00
5430-23 Small Tools and Equipment	400.00	92.54	250.00	250.00	250.00
5430-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	-0-	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
5430-60 Professional Services	-0-	-0-	-0-	3,405.50	-0-
5430-66 Rentals	500.00	363.00	1,000.00	6,000.00	1,000.00
5430-68 Repairs and Maintenance	4,000.00	10,930.39	6,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
5430-76 Utilities	-0-	184.64	200.00	155.00	200.00
5430-83 Machinery and Equipment	12,000.00	41,900.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
TOTALS	32,170.00	75,670.57	33,796.00	42,857.39	33,735.00
CEMETERIES					
5520-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	90.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
5520-22 Repairs and Maint. Supplies	-0-	30.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
5520-30 Advertising	-0-	20.92	40.00	-0-	-0-
5520-56 Other Purchased Services	3,500.00	3,391.98	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
5520-68 Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	125.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
TOTALS	3,500.00	3,657.90	3,640.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
PUBLIC HEALTH					
6110 Public Health Officer	1,600.00	1,600.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
6110-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	14.50	-0-	-0-	-0-
6112 Visiting Nurse Service	8,750.00	8,020.76	8,750.00	8,750.00	8,750.00
TOTALS	10,350.00	9,635.26	10,750.00	10,750.00	10,750.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

	Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
RECREATION					
7000-10 Salaries and Wages	20,000.00	4,765.75	6,650.00	5,890.01	7,700.00
7000-15 Benefits	-0-	278.84	390.00	344.58	443.00
7000-20 Office Supplies	-0-	21.90	-0-	-0-	-0-
7000-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	2,356.47	1,675.00	1,675.00	1,750.00
7000-22 Repairs and Maint. Supplies	-0-	97.23	-0-	-0-	-0-
7000-30 Advertising	-0-	48.08	200.00	100.00	100.00
7000-40 Dues, Subscriptions	-0-	-0-	-0-	17.40	20.00
7000-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	11,010.00	12,700.00	11,058.00	13,700.00
7000-74 Travel and Transportation	-0-	1,970.97	2,000.00	1,248.28	2,000.00
7000-79 Retired Volunteer Program	-0-	-0-	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
7000-44 Burlington International Games	-0-	-0-	500.00	500.00	500.00
7140 Pool or Beach Activities	28,000.00	28,039.35	-0-	-0-	-0-
7160 Fort Ethan Allen Open Space	10,000.00	9,763.61	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
TOTALS	58,000.00	58,352.20	35,115.00	31,833.27	37,213.00
LIBRARY					
7800-10 Salaries and Wages	3,700.00	2,489.70	2,600.00	2,898.60	3,073.00
7800-15 Employee Benefits	-0-	143.89	153.00	169.57	179.00
7800-20 Office Supplies	-0-	-0-	30.00	30.00	30.00
7800-21 Operating Supplies	-0-	-0-	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
7800-34 Communications	-0-	149.35	125.00	145.92	150.00
7800-44 Grants, Subsidies and Contributions	3,700.00	4,700.00	4,408.00	4,408.00	6,080.00
7800-56 Other Purchased Services	-0-	1,122.00		1,267.00	1,300.00
7800-68 Repairs and Maintenance	-0-	-0-	200.00	200.00	-0-
7800-76 Utilities	-0-	547.73	300.00	340.44	350.00
TOTALS	7,400.00	9,152.67	8,816.00	10,459.53	12,162.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES

CONSERVATION NATURAL RESOURCES

8130 Tree Care
8150 Vt. Agric. Extension Service

Budget 1974-1975	Actual 1974-1975	Budget 1975-1976	Estimated Yr. End Expenditures	Proposed Budget 1976-1977
4,500.00	3,643.25	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
2,200.00	2,430.00	3,018.00	3,018.00	3,018.00

TOTALS

6,700.00 6,073.25 7,518.00 7,518.00 7,518.00

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

8610 GBIC

4,590.00 4,561.39 4,500.00 4,500.00 4,500.00

DEBT MANAGEMENT

9150-90 Principal Pay. Long Term
9150-91 Interest

12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	-0-
3,200.00	4,692.37	3,000.00	2,650.00	2,100.00

TOTALS

15,200.00 16,692.37 15,000.00 14,650.00 2,100.00

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9300 County Tax

19,000.00 23,430.60 -0- -0- -0-

INTERGOVERNMENTAL EXPENSE

9392 Chittenden County Transportation Authority
9393 Winooski Valley Park District
9394 Regional Planning

5,883.00	16,736.32	13,000.00	18,452.19	13,000.00
4,050.00	8,471.00	1,364.00	1,364.00	1,601.00
5,400.00	-0-	5,042.00	5,042.00	5,664.00

8190 Infiltration-Inflow Study

-0- 12,200.00 -0- -0- -0-

Sewer Easements

50,000.00 -0- -0- -0- -0-

9910 Contingency

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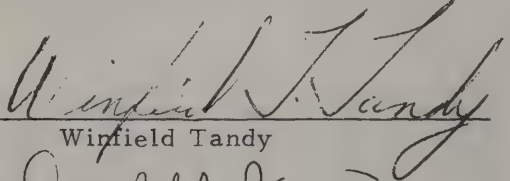
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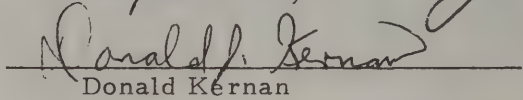
AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Auditors and Selectmen met with a representative of the Gordon and Sherman Company, Accountants and Auditors, and examined their report of the audit of the Town of Essex.

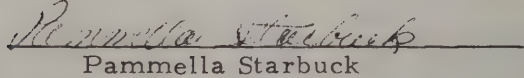
We, the Auditors of the Town of Essex, accept the audit as reported.



Winfield Tandy



Donald Kernan



Pammella Starbuck

February 1, 1976

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Board of Selectmen
Town of Essex
Essex, Vermont

We have examined the financial statements of the Town of Essex, Vermont for the year ended June 30, 1975 listed in the foregoing table of contents. Except as set forth in the following paragraph, our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

Evidence supporting the historical cost of fixed assets for the Water Fund, stated at \$42,723 (net of accumulated depreciation) as of June 30, 1975, was not available, and the Water Fund records do not permit the application of adequate alternative procedures regarding the cost of fixed assets. Also, because supporting documentation on the historical cost of fixed assets is unavailable, depreciation expense was not taken on Water Fund fixed assets for the year ended June 30, 1975. Since we were unable to apply adequate alternative procedures regarding the cost of fixed assets, the scope of our work was not sufficient to enable us to express, and we do not express, an opinion on the financial statements of the Water Fund.

The Town records were incomplete as to historical costs for its general fixed assets and accordingly a statement of general fixed assets, required by generally accepted accounting principles, is not included in the financial report.

In our opinion, with the exception of the Water Fund and the general fixed assets as explained in the preceding paragraphs, such financial statements present fairly the financial position of the various funds and account groups, listed in the foregoing table of contents, of the Town of Essex, Vermont at June 30, 1975 and the results of operations of the various funds for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles which, except for the changes, with which we concur, as described in Notes 9 and 12 to the financial statements, have been applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Gordon & Sherman

EXHIBIT A

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30, 1975

ASSETS

Cash in bank	\$ 6,729
Cash on hand	<u>560</u>
	<u>7,289</u>
Taxes receivable - delinquent - Note 2	156,877
Less: Estimated uncollectible delinquent taxes	<u>14,700</u>
	<u>142,177</u>
Due from Bicentennial Commission	243
Due from Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	9,462
Due from Water Fund	88
Due from Federal Government - EEA program	1,713
Due from State of Vermont	265
Due from Town School District	3,689
Prepaid expenses	<u>500</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$165,426</u>

LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND FUND BALANCE

Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	\$ 28,091
Tax refunds due	1,500
Notes payable - Note 3	100,000
Due to State of Vermont	8,212
Due to Village of Essex General Fund	<u>648</u>
Total liabilities	<u>138,451</u>
Fund balance, unrestricted - Exhibit B	<u>26,975</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, & FUND BALANCE	<u>\$165,426</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

EXHIBIT B

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Fund balance, July 1, 1974		\$47,264
Excess expenditures over revenues:		
Expenditures - Exhibit D	\$765,534	
Revenues - Exhibit C	<u>745,245</u>	<u>20,289</u>
Fund balance, June 30, 1975 - Exhibit A		<u>\$26,975</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

EXHIBIT C

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE - ACTUAL AND ESTIMATED

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Estimated</u>	Actual Over(Under) <u>Estimated</u>
Taxes:			
Current	\$492,742	\$508,408	\$ (15,666)
Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes	<u>33,463</u>	<u>8,000</u>	<u>25,463</u>
Total	<u>526,205</u>	<u>516,408</u>	<u>9,797</u>
General:			
Zoning fees	340	325	15
Copying	1,829	1,800	29
Dog licenses	3,970	3,800	170
License fees	4,477	2,500	1,977
Building permits	2,467	2,000	467
Federal Revenue Sharing	96,639	149,200	(52,561)
State Aid Highway	20,255	17,500	2,755
School, gas reimbursement	16,221	7,000	9,221
Recording legal documents	12,992	10,000	2,992
Miscellaneous	5,226	5,000	226
Landfill permits	3,773	-0-	3,773
State Water Resources	12,200	-0-	12,200
EEA Program	11,464	-0-	11,464
Railroad tax	1,987	-0-	1,987
Special litter levy fund	22,542	-0-	22,542
Special service fees	<u>2,658</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>2,658</u>
Total Revenues - Exhibit B	<u>\$745,245</u>	<u>\$715,533</u>	<u>\$29,712</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES COMPARED WITH AUTHORIZATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	Expenditures (Over) Under <u>Appropriations</u>
Legislative Division - Selectmen:			
Salaries and wages		\$ 2,500	
Dues subscriptions & meetings		1,200	
Printing ordinances		3,318	
Clerk (recording minutes)		420	
Total	<u>\$ 3,700</u>	<u>7,438</u>	<u>\$(3,738)</u>
Executive Division - Town Manager:			
Salaries and wages		26,193	
Employee benefits		3,568	
Office supplies		479	
Advertising		33	
Communications		967	
Dues, subscriptions and meetings		546	
Other purchased services		37	
Professional services		2,369	
Printing and binding		44	
Rentals		574	
Repairs and maintenance		233	
Travel and transportation		3	
Machinery and equipment		3,152	
Total	<u>37,950</u>	<u>38,198</u>	<u>(248)</u>
Elections:			
Registering voters and maintaining checklists		636	
Town meetings and elections		8,073	
Total	<u>4,000</u>	<u>8,709</u>	<u>(4,709)</u>
Finance Division - Treasurer:			
Salaries and wages		8,750	
Employee benefits		506	
Office supplies		741	
Advertising		107	
Communications		177	
Dues, subscriptions and meetings		10	
Insurance and fidelity bonds		15,997	
Other purchased services		21	
Professional services		1,760	
Rentals		11,341	
Repairs and maintenance		172	
Machinery and equipment		652	
Accounting and bookkeeping - outside		15,401	
Auditing		2,000	
Total	<u>\$78,000</u>	<u>\$57,635</u>	<u>\$20,365</u>

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EXHIBIT D
(continued)

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES COMPARED WITH AUTHORIZATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Expenditures (Over) Under Appropriations</u>
Assessor's Department:			
Salaries and wages		\$37,330	
Employees benefits		5,471	
Office supplies		759	
Operating supplies		213	
Communications		1,919	
Dues, subscriptions and mailings		50	
Other purchased services		1,204	
Printing and binding		1,287	
Rentals		172	
Repairs and maintenance		376	
Travel and transportation		303	
Total	<u>\$40,036</u>	<u>49,084</u>	<u>\$ (9,048)</u>
Tax Collection:			
Tax collection		1,567	
Total	<u>-0-</u>	<u>1,567</u>	<u>(1,567)</u>
Administration Division - Town Clerk			
Salaries and wages		20,989	
Employees benefits		3,855	
Office supplies		891	
Operating supplies		851	
Communications		735	
Dues, subscriptions and meetings		37	
Other purchased services		42	
Printing and binding		769	
Rentals		2,394	
Repairs and maintenance		160	
Total	<u>29,919</u>	<u>30,723</u>	<u>(804)</u>
Legal Services:			
Legal services		4,304	
Total	<u>5,000</u>	<u>4,304</u>	<u>696</u>
Boards and Agencies:			
Planning Commission:			
Office supplies		14	
Advertising		27	
Communications		23	
Other purchased services		435	
Total	<u>\$ 1,500</u>	<u>\$ 499</u>	<u>\$ 1,001</u>

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TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES COMPARED WITH AUTHORIZATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Expenditures (Over) Under Appropriations</u>
Municipal Zoning:			
Salaries and wages		\$ 8,716	
Employee benefits		1,680	
Office supplies		198	
Advertising		119	
Communications		387	
Dues, subscriptions and meetings		84	
Other purchased services		260	
Printing and binding		148	
Rentals		95	
Repairs and maintenance		218	
Travel and transportation		212	
Total	<u>\$ 9,880</u>	<u>12,117</u>	<u>\$(2,237)</u>
Public Safety Division - Police Service:			
Other purchased services		13,813	
Providing special services		80	
Professional services		250	
Total	<u>17,550</u>	<u>14,143</u>	<u>3,407</u>
Public Safety Division - Fire Department:			
Salaries and wages		6,353	
Employee benefits		365	
Office supplies		143	
Operating supplies		4,442	
Repairs and maintenance		433	
Small tools and equipment		29	
Communications		905	
Dues, subscriptions and meetings		151	
Other purchased services		166	
Professional services		13,185	
Printing and binding		49	
Rentals		1,532	
Repairs and maintenance		465	
Licenses and registration		8	
Travel and transportation		45	
Utilities		379	
Fire prevention		378	
Fire training		694	
Fire communications		11,111	
Buildings - repairs and maintenance		1,472	
Buildings - improvements		662	
Trucks - operating supplies		691	
Trucks - repairs and maintenance supplies		1,287	
Trucks - machinery and equipment		5,108	
Total	<u>\$47,400</u>	<u>\$50,053</u>	<u>\$(2,653)</u>

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EXHIBIT D
(continued)

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES COMPARED WITH AUTHORIZATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,1975

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	Expenditures (Over) Under <u>Appropriations</u>
Buildings:			
Repairs and maintenance		\$ 1,075	
Total	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$ 1,075</u>	<u>\$(1,075)</u>
Director of Public Works:			
Salaries and wages		11,180	
Employee benefits		1,545	
Total	<u>13,000</u>	<u>12,725</u>	<u>275</u>
Public Works Division - Highway:			
Salaries and wages		48,307	
Employee benefits		6,917	
Office supplies		53	
Operating supplies		24,414	
Repairs and maintenance		3,121	
Small tools and equipment		1,371	
Advertising		48	
Communications		328	
Other purchased services		1,035	
Professional services		4,659	
Rentals		4,103	
Repairs and maintenance		20,100	
Licenses and registrations		3	
Travel and transportation		89	
Utilities		594	
Machinery and equipment		5,058	
Summer construction		47,265	
Winter maintenance		31,757	
Traffic - control device		1,576	
Sidewalks and crosswalks		125	
Storm drains and culverts		1,472	
Bridges and viaducts		223	
Street lights		10,673	
Buying and maintaining vehicles		19,339	
Total	<u>189,255</u>	<u>232,630</u>	<u>(43,375)</u>

EXHIBIT D
(continued)

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES COMPARED WITH AUTHORIZATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	Expenditures (Over) Under <u>Appropriations</u>
Sanitation Division - Landfill:			
Salaries and wages		\$17,754	
Employee benefits		1,996	
Operating supplies		2,439	
Repairs and maintenance supplies		11	
Small tools and equipment		93	
Rentals		363	
Repairs and maintenance		10,930	
Utilities		185	
Machinery and equipment		41,900	
Total	<u>\$32,170</u>	<u>\$75,671</u>	<u>\$(43,501)</u>
Cemeteries:			
Operating supplies		\$ 90	
Repairs and maintenance supplies		30	
Advertising		21	
Other purchased services		3,392	
Repairs and maintenance		125	
Total	<u>3,500</u>	<u>3,658</u>	<u>(158)</u>
Public Health Division:			
Health Officer		\$ 1,600	
Other purchased services		15	
Visiting Nurse service		8,021	
Total	<u>10,350</u>	<u>9,636</u>	<u>714</u>
Recreation Department:			
Salaries and wages		4,766	
Employee benefits		279	
Office supplies		22	
Operating supplies		2,356	
Advertising		48	
Dues, subscriptions and meetings		97	
Other purchased services		11,010	
Travel and transportation		1,971	
Pool or beach activities		28,039	
Recreation parks		9,764	
Total	<u>58,000</u>	<u>58,352</u>	<u>(352)</u>
Library Department:			
Salaries and wages		2,490	
Employee benefits		144	
Communications		149	
Subsidies - contribution		4,700	
Other purchased services		1,122	
Utilities		548	
Total	<u>\$ 7,400</u>	<u>\$ 9,153</u>	<u>\$(1,753)</u>

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EXHIBIT D
(continued)

TOWN OF ESSEX

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES COMPARED WITH AUTHORIZATIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30,1975

	<u>Appropriations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Expenditures (Over) Under Appropriations</u>
Economic Division:			
Vermont Agricultural Extension Service	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,430	
Greater Burlington Industrial Development Corporation	4,590	4,561	
Regional Planning	5,400		
Winooski Valley Park District	4,050	8,471	
Public shade tree care	4,500	3,643	
Total	<u>20,740</u>	<u>19,105</u>	<u>1,635</u>
Transportation Division:			
Chittenden County Transportation Authority		16,736	
Total	<u>5,883</u>	<u>16,736</u>	<u>(10,853)</u>
Debt Management:			
Principal payments - long term debt		12,000	
Interest - Note 8		4,692	
Total	<u>15,200</u>	<u>16,692</u>	<u>(1,492)</u>
Intergovernmental expenditures:			
County tax payments		23,431	
Total	<u>19,000</u>	<u>23,431</u>	<u>(4,431)</u>
Miscellaneous:			
Civil defense	100	-0-	100
Service easement acquisition	50,000	-0-	50,000
Printing and advertising	4,000	-0-	4,000
Contingency	12,000	-0-	12,000
Natural Resources Conservation	-0-	12,200	(12,200)
Total	<u>66,100</u>	<u>12,200</u>	<u>53,900</u>
Total Expenditures - Exhibit B	<u>\$715,533</u>	<u>\$765,534</u>	<u>\$(50,001)</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

EXHIBIT A

TOWN OF ESSEX

WATER FUND

BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30, 1975

ASSETS

Current assets:

Cash	\$18,136
Water rents receivable	<u>2,999</u>
Total current assets	<u>21,135</u>

Fixed assets:

Improvements other than buildings	43,599
Machinery and equipment	<u>5,921</u>
	49,520
Less: Allowance for depreciation - Note 11	<u>6,797</u>
Net fixed assets	<u>42,723</u>

TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$63,858</u>
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LIABILITIES, CONTRIBUTIONS, AND RETAINED EARNINGS

Liabilities:

Accounts payable	\$ 1,143
Due to General Fund	<u>88</u>
Total liabilities	<u>1,231</u>

Contribution from Federal Government	<u>8,000</u>
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Retained earnings - Exhibit B	<u>54,627</u>
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TOTAL LIABILITIES, CONTRIBUTIONS AND FUND BALANCE	<u>\$63,858</u>
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

EXHIBIT B

TOWN OF ESSEX

WATER FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSE - ACTUAL AND
BUDGETED AND ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN RETAINED EARNINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual Over (Under)</u>
Operating Revenues:			
General water billings	\$47,248		
New connections	2,250		
Penalties	124		
Miscellaneous	272		
Total operating revenues	<u>\$49,894</u>	<u>\$68,900</u>	<u>\$ (19,006)</u>
Less operating revenue deductions:			
Salaries	10,517		
Employees benefits	1,386		
Office supplies	385		
Operating supplies	16,800		
Repair and maintenance supplies	2,932		
Small tools and equipment	94		
Communications and postage	208		
Other purchased services	50		
Rental	2,091		
Repairs and maintenance	1,176		
Travel and transportation	89		
Utilities	691		
Miscellaneous	342		
Total	<u>36,761</u>	<u>52,800</u>	<u>(16,039)</u>
Net income	\$13,133	<u>\$16,100</u>	<u>\$ (2,967)</u>
Retained earnings, July 1, 1974	<u>41,494</u>		
Retained earnings, June 30, 1975 - Exhibit A	<u>\$54,627</u>		

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

TOWN OF ESSEX

WATER FUND

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Sources of funds:	
Net income	<u>\$13,133</u>
Total sources of funds	<u>\$13,133</u>
Application of funds:	
Increase in working capital	\$ 6,312
Acquisition of fixed assets	<u>6,821</u>
Total applications of funds	<u>\$13,133</u>
Changes in the elements of working capital:	
Current assets:	
Cash	\$ (820)
Water rents receivable	<u>(1,847)</u>
Total	<u>(2,667)</u>
Current liabilities:	
Accounts payable	21
Notes payable	<u>(9,000)</u>
Total	<u>(8,979)</u>
Increase (decrease) in working capital	<u>\$ 6,312</u>

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TOWN OF ESSEX

TRUST FUNDS

BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30, 1975

	Litter Levy Trust Fund	Cemetery Trust Fund
<u>ASSETS</u>		
Cash - demand deposits	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
Cash - time deposits	1	5,637
Certificate of deposit		9,500
Accounts receivable - Revenue Sharing		
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$15,137</u>
<u>LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND FUND BALANCE</u>		
Liabilities:		
Due to Town General Fund	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
Due to developers		
Total liabilities	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Fund balance:		
Restricted	-0-	7,245
Unrestricted	1	7,892
Total fund balance - Exhibit B	<u>1</u>	<u>15,137</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, & FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$15,137</u>

EXHIBIT A

<u>Revenue Sharing Trust Fund</u>	<u>Developers' Escrow Fund</u>	<u>Ralph C. Mayo Memorial Fund</u>	<u>Employer's Retirement Escrow Fund</u>
\$ 17,162	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
75,331	33,708	222	4,191
27,928			
<u>\$120,421</u>	<u>\$42,708</u>	<u>\$ 222</u>	<u>\$4,191</u>
\$ 9,462	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
	42,708		
9,462	42,708	-0-	-0-
-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
110,959		222	4,191
110,959	-0-	222	4,191
<u>\$120,421</u>	<u>\$42,708</u>	<u>\$ 222</u>	<u>\$4,191</u>

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TOWN OF ESSEX

TRUST FUNDS

ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	Litter Levy Trust Fund	Cemetery Trust Fund
Fund balance - restricted, July 1, 1974	\$ -0-	\$ 7,245
Fund balance, July 1, 1974	20,853	6,634
Revenue:		
Interest income	795	833
State of Vermont - Title 10	895	
Sale of lots		225
Perpetual care		200
Transfers from Town General Fund		
Developers' deposits		
Federal Government		
Total	<u>22,543</u>	<u>15,137</u>
Expenditures:		
Transfers to Town General Fund	22,542	
Returned to developers		
Transfers to Essex Free Library Fund		
Fund balance, June 30, 1975 - Exhibit A	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$15,137</u>

EXHIBIT B

<u>Revenue Sharing Trust Fund</u>	<u>Developers' Escrow Fund</u>	<u>Ralph C. Mayo Memorial Fund (Note 9)</u>	<u>Employer's Retirement Escrow Fund</u>
\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
90,349	-0-	222	-0-
5,493	562	11	
			4,191
<u>111,756</u>	<u>43,701</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
<u>207,598</u>	<u>44,263</u>	<u>233</u>	<u>4,191</u>
96,639	44,263		
<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u>11</u>	<u> </u>
<u>\$110,959</u>	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$ 222</u>	<u>\$4,191</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

TOWN OF ESSEX
 ESSEX FREE LIBRARY FUND
 BALANCE SHEET
 JUNE 30, 1975

ASSETS

Cash in bank	\$ 652
 TOTAL ASSETS	 <u>\$ 652</u>

LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND FUND BALANCE

Fund balance, unrestricted - Exhibit B	\$ 652
 TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES & FUND BALANCE	 <u>\$ 652</u>

EXHIBIT B

TOWN OF ESSEX
 ESSEX FREE LIBRARY FUND
 ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

Fund balance, July 1, 1974 - Note 9	\$ 24
 Revenue:	
Town of Essex	1,000
State of Vermont Library Grant	110
Lost books	11
Fines	55
Interest on Mayo Fund	11
Book sales	<u>38</u>
 Total	 <u>1,225</u>
 Expenditures:	
Books	437
Records	127
Magazines	22
Miscellaneous	8
Supplies	<u>3</u>
 Fund balance, June 30, 1975 - Exhibit A	 <u>\$ 652</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

TOWN OF ESSEX

DEBT SERVICE FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND FUND BALANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1975

	<u>Sidewalk Renovation Note</u>
Revenues:	
Transfers from other funds:	
General Fund	<u>\$12,537</u>
Total Revenues	<u>12,537</u>
Expenditures:	
Redemption of note	12,000
Interest on note	<u>537</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>12,537</u>
Excess (deficit) to fund balance	-0-
Fund balance, July 1, 1974	<u>-0-</u>
Fund balance, June 30, 1975	<u><u>\$ -0-</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

TOWN OF ESSEX
STATEMENT OF GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT
JUNE 30, 1975

AMOUNT AVAILABLE AND TO BE PROVIDED FOR
THE PAYMENT OF GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term Notes Payable:	
Amount to be provided	<u>\$12,000</u>
Total to be provided	<u>\$12,000</u>

GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT PAYABLE

Long-term notes payable	<u>\$12,000</u>
Total general long-term debt payable	<u>\$12,000</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

TOWN OF ESSEX

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

JUNE 30, 1975

Note 1: The major accounting principles and practices followed by the Town of Essex, Vermont are presented below to assist the reader in evaluating the financial statements.

Fund accounting principles are applied on the modified accrual basis for revenues and expenditures except for the Water Fund which is on the accrual basis.

The Town approves a budget for the General Fund and the tax rate is determined by the Board of Selectmen based on the budget and Grand List. Estimated Current Tax Revenues are the result of that procedure.

Note 2: Delinquent taxes receivable of the General Fund consist of the following: delinquent property taxes of \$125,720, delinquent poll taxes of \$11,528 and penalties and interest receivable of \$19,629.

Note 3: Notes payable in the General Fund consist of a tax anticipation note payable to the Howard National Bank, 4 1/8% due on September 16, 1975 for \$100,000.

Note 4: Notes payable on the Statement of General Long-term Debt consist of the following:

Sidewalk Renovation Note

Note payable to the Howard National Bank
5%, due December 10 1975.

\$ 12,000

This note has been treated as general long-term debt because the Town pays equal principal installments annually renewing the balance. The remaining \$12,000 will be paid on December 10, 1975.

Note 5: The Debt Service Fund is created to account for the payment of interest and principal on long-term general obligation debt. However, the individual fund, for which the debt was created, pays the obligation from its share of general property taxes or other revenues generated by the fund. Therefore, the debt service expenditures are presented in both the General Fund and the Debt Service Fund. There are no assets or liabilities in the Debt Service Fund at June 30, 1975.

Note 6: The Town of Essex has a pension plan with the John Hancock Insurance Company of Boston which is funded by contributions from the Town and the employees. The cost of this plan to the Town for the year ended June 30, 1975 was \$2,392. Costs are funded as they accrue and there is no liability for past service.

TOWN OF ESSEX

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

JUNE 30, 1975

- Note 7: Budget appropriations for the General and Water Funds are presented by department total only because the budget for the year ended June 30, 1975 was prepared using the former chart of accounts, while the statements presented are based on the new chart of accounts. The budget breakdown is a reallocation by department to conform to the new chart of accounts. There has been no change in the total budget.
- Note 8: General Fund interest expense of \$4,692 consists of \$4,155 paid on short-term notes and \$537 paid on long-term obligations.
- Note 9: The balance sheet and analysis of changes in fund balance for the Ralph C. Mayo Memorial Fund are separately stated for the year ended June 30, 1975. Separate presentation has been made to properly reflect the nature of this fund as a trust fund set up to provide income for the purchase of books for the Essex Free Library. The financial statements for the year ended June 30, 1974 included Mayo fund accounts in the Essex Free Library fund. The effect of this change is to decrease the fund balance in the Essex Free Library Fund as of July 1, 1974 by \$222. There is no effect on the results of operations for either fund.
- Note 10: A statement of General Fixed Assets, presented for the year ended June 30, 1974, is not presented for the year ended June 30, 1975 because the historical cost records in support of these assets were not available.
- Note 11: No depreciation has been taken on Water Fund fixed assets because detailed depreciation schedules and other records related to the fixed assets of the Water Fund were not available.
- Note 12: Penalties and interest on delinquent taxes receivable have been accrued as revenue in the General Fund for the year ended June 30, 1975. Accrual of penalties and interest was not made for the year ended June 30, 1974. It was not practicable to determine the effect of this change on the financial position and results of operations for prior years.
- Note 13: The Town is contingently liable in the amount of \$2,200 as a result of a dispute regarding a fee for services rendered by P.F. Jurgs and Co.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
1975

DOG LICENSES

974 licenses @ \$2.00	\$	1,948.00
223 licenses @ \$3.00		669.00
149 licenses @ \$6.00		894.00
37 licenses @ \$9.00		333.00
13 licenses @ \$1.00		13.00
3 kennel licences @ \$30.00		90.00
4 kennel permits @ 2.00		8.00
30 replacement tags @ .50		<u>15.00</u>
On deposit in General Fund	\$	3,970.00

FISH AND GAMES LICENSES

Total collected	\$	24,738.50
Total Remitted-State Treas.		22,594.50
On deposit in General Fund		1,276.25
Paid to Agents		867.75

MARRIAGE LICENSES

115 Licenses @ \$6.00	\$	690.00
Remitted to State Treas.		345.00
On deposit in General Fund		345.00

LIQUOR LICENSES

11 First Class Licenses @ \$75.00	\$	825.00
20 Second Class Licenses @ 37.50		<u>750.00</u>
On deposit in General Fund		\$1,575.00

1975 HEALTH OFFICER ANNUAL REPORT

Essex community had no major health problems in 1975. Most of the calls received were of a routine nature. Upon investigation of all complaints, the involved parties complied with all issued orders.

A number of septic tank overflows in the spring due to high waters were reported and solutions arrived at. Hopefully, this yearly problem will be solved with a new town-wide sewer system. The drinking water is tested each week and standards remain good.

During the year a dozen dog bites and one racoon bite incident were reported. With one exception, all animals were confined for the period of ten days and no ill effects resulted to those persons bitten. However, there was one boy bitten by a dog which we were unable to locate and the child had to have rabies shots.

All public schools and buildings were inspected as well as all public functions at the Champlain Fairgrounds. All three public swimming pools were inspected weekly.

In 1975 I attended two seminars for health officers. During the year, the State Office of Health Officers, headed up by Jim Roistacher, was moved to the Old State Armory on lower Main Street in Burlington. He facilitates the obtaining of help we may require in the field. One of his greatest aids was the development of a checklist for inspections of houses and apartments.

I wish to extend my appreciation to Mr. Harold Sargent and Mr. Byrd of the Vermont Health Department, along with Dr. Anthony Robbins, Commissioner of Health, and his assistant Lisa Barrett. I would also like to thank the Village Trustees and Town Selectmen, both Town and Village Managers, and all personnel from town and village water departments for their help and assistance in the many facets of my work.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Von Sitas
Essex Health Officer



Town of Essex VERMONT

FIRE DEPARTMENT
802/879-7156

PHILIP W. NOYES, Sr.
Chief

1975 REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Town Fire Department is completing two years of service. These two years have been very rewarding as we look to the challenge of the years ahead.

With few exceptions, the officers and men have drilled every Wednesday night and attended numerous specialization courses at schools throughout Vermont and New Hampshire. Two officers have completed one semester of a Fire Science Course at Champlain College.

The Department was very pleased this past year with the C5 rating given the area served by the Insurance Services Office. Only two Vermont cities currently have a better rate.

The Fire Prevention Program this year was carried out under the leadership of Assistant Chief Bessette and Captain St. Peter. The program was a success through the cooperation of the principals and teachers of the Essex schools. An open house was held during Fire Prevention Week in October. Firemen are available for complete inspections of buildings or limited inspections such as of heating units. There is no charge for this.

The Department responded to 73 alarms during 1975 for an average of one call every five days. Involved were 21 structural fires, 16 grass and brush fires, and 11 car fires. Assistance was given the Underhill-Jericho and Richmond Fire Departments. Assistance was received from Underhill-Jericho, Colchester Center, St. Michael's, Essex Junction, Williston, Malletts Bay, and Richmond Fire Departments. Six fires were responded to in Westford.

I have requested, and the Town Manager has recommended an inclusion of \$40,000 in our budget for a second pumper. This is in keeping with the original design to purchase a new pumper the first year and a second pumper the second year. We are presently using a borrowed pumper which is surplus to the Burlington Fire Department. This 23 year old truck has served us well but becomes less dependable daily. The proposed pumper is a "supply pumper"

unlike the "attack pumper" originally purchased which would probably cost \$65,000 to \$70,000 if purchased today. It will be an all wheel drive vehicle with a front mount pump (1000 gpm) with a "large hose" reel and will carry 500 gallons of water.

This appropriation has been recommended by the Selectmen and will be voted on at Town meeting.

We will be promoting fire prevention and fire safety in the coming year. We are hopeful that business is slow this year.

Respectfully submitted,

Philip Noyes, Sr.
Chief

Visiting Nurse Association, Inc.
in Combination with the State Division of Public Health Nursing

Fiscal Report of Services

Town of Essex

For period of July 1, 1974 - June 30, 1975

A. Home Care of Sick and Disabled

Personal care, rehabilitation services and therapeutic services including treatments, injections, evaluation of cardiac and pulmonary status, medication review, general physical and emotional assessment, education in self-care, bathing meal preparation, light housekeeping, exercise programs, problem oriented counseling, etc., are available. Services are provided as needed, i.e. daily, once a week, twice a day; may mean placement of a homemaker or aide for 1 hour, 4 hours, 8 hours or 24 hours in order to reach goal of preventing, delaying or shortening institutionalization and promoting rehabilitation. Staff work closely with physicians, community agencies and hospital workers. Patients may have a combination of or such single problems as arthritis, multiple sclerosis, cancer, heart or lung disease, orthopedic problems, post accident, post stroke, mental illness, diabetes, etc. Total home visits 1,971.

B. Maternal-Child-Young Family Health Services

Services are primarily preventive and educational in nature and are provided in a variety of settings:

1. home visiting outreach services of nurses, homemaker, home health aides and psychiatric social workers to families and individuals with high risk problems such as medical complications of pregnancy, mental illness, nutritional deficits, teenage or unwed pregnant women, potential abuse, first baby, etc.
2. well child clinics or mobile unit pediatric services which include health history, physical exam, immunizations, screening services for vision, hearing, growth and development, speech and language and anemia. Emphasis is on problem oriented counseling, health education and anticipatory guidance.
3. group education programs. Expectant parent classes, preparation for labor and delivery and child care classes are available to all residents of the county.

Statistics for Fiscal period of July 1, 1974 - June 30, 1975
home visiting services 125 visits. (133 Essex
well child clinics or mobile unit services attendance 163. residents)

C. All visiting services (care of sick and maternal-child-young family) by discipline

Nursing visits 686
Homemaker-home health aide visits 1,200 hours 1465.5
Homemaker visits 35 hours 149.5
Social service visits 1
Occupational therapy visits 43
Physical therapy visits 131
Speech therapy visits -0-

Total all visits for Fiscal period 2,096

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT

1975 was another busy year for the Essex Town Planning Commission. Twenty-three regular meetings were held, as well as several special meetings which included three with the Board of Selectmen, four with the Essex Junction Planning Commission and three with representatives of the Regional Planning Commission.

Final approval was given to the Morse Corporation for a 20-lot planned unit industrial park on Kellogg Road. These sites will hopefully accommodate light mixed industry beneficial to the town both in providing needed services and in expanding our tax base. Final approval was also given to Section IV of Painesville Manor Corporation, a six-lot single-family residential addition to the present Painesville subdivision.

The Planning Commission acted upon six applications by individuals to build on lots lacking required road frontage, and it reviewed and gave approval to two site-plan applications: the expansion of Steve's Gas Supply on River Road, and Bouffard's 10-unit apartment complex on Susie Wilson Road.

Building activity and, no doubt, population growth, showed a definite increase in 1975 as compared to 1974, according to building permit records.

<u>Building Permits Issued</u>	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>
Single-family homes	64	95
Condominium units	0	8
Multi-family buildings	5	3
Total	69	106

The Commission, assisted by GBIC and the Vermont Department of Economic Development, devoted considerable time to a review and study of the industrial potential of the town in the process of preparing amendments to the town plan and zoning regulations.

The Commission worked with the Town Manager and Selectmen on several programs, including an application for Community Development funding (unsuccessful) and the acceptance of Essex into the National Flood Insurance Program. The capital improvements program was discussed. We met with the Essex Junction Planning Commission and State Highway officials to discuss general overall traffic problems. A committee was set up to study the feasibility of a joint Town-Village Planner.

The Commission met with the Chittenden County Regional Planning Commission to review the Regional Plan, "We Are Not The Last Generation." After review by both our commission and the Board

of Selectmen, our comments and recommendations were forwarded to the Regional Commission by our Essex regional representative, Bill Duff. During the year Mr. Duff also met regularly with the Commission, keeping us up to date on regional activities.

In the fall an Urban Planning Class from the University of Vermont, at the invitation of the Planning Commission, chose the Town of Essex for a semester's project in land use planning. Their reports, based on their town-wide survey, were made at a public meeting on December 11, and contained valuable information and recommendations for Planning Commission consideration in updating the town plan.

The Planning Commission periodically reviews the zoning regulations, and it expects to offer amendments this year. Also, considerable time was spent in drafting new subdivision regulations. Both will be presented at public hearings for citizen response prior to adoption.

The Commission meets the second and fourth Thursday of each month. The public is welcome to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann P. Harroun
Peter E. Lyon
Robert W. Mitchell
John D. Morris
Russell S. Reay
Mary E. Reilly
Noah C. Thompson, Chairman

ESSEX FREE LIBRARY
LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR 1975

CIRCULATION

Books	9,105
Magazines	131
Records	1,012

DONATIONS

236 books by individuals

PURCHASES

73 new books
68 new paperbacks
45 new records

Respectfully submitted,

Bernice S. Bixby
Librarian


1975 POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The below listed figures represent the major activities of the Essex Junction Police Department for the year 1975. Those listed under "Town" activities represent work done in the Town during the period January 1 - July 1, 1975.

<u>MOTOR VEHICLE CASES</u>	<u>TOWN</u>	<u>VILLAGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Driving while intoxicated	7	31	38
Speeding	27	345	372
Driving after suspension	0	9	9
Red light	0	10	10
Road law	9	29	38
Defective equipment tags	10	48	58
Other traffic violations	10	59	69
Parking tickets	0	275	275
Accidents investigated	81	266	347
Stolen cars recovered	1	7	8
MV complaints from citizens investigated	40	108	148
Fatal accidents	2	0	2
<u>CRIMINAL CASES</u>	<u>TOWN</u>	<u>VILLAGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Break and entry	18	113	131
Larcenies	44	248	292
Assaults	2	32	34
Narcotic violations	1	9	10
Disturbances	98	431	529
Vandalism	34	138	172
Disorderly conduct	7	57	64
Insufficient funds	23	52	75
Forgery	6	18	24
Armed robbery	0	2	2
Homicide	0	1	1
Juvenile cases	27	98	125
Stolen bikes recovered	2	93	95
Court cases (criminal)	41	125	146
Missing persons	6	15	21
Violations of local ordinances	15	43	58

TOTAL CRUISER MILEAGE: 68,601

Respectfully submitted,


D. J. Arena
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

In the years preceeding Federal Year 1975 nearly all of the monies appropriated for tree care have been spent to remove hazardous trees from the edges of town highways. In 1973 and 1974 this program was pursued aggressively and most of the dead elms within the right-of-way of Chapin Road, Stage Road, and Lost Nation Road were removed, plus scattered individuals along other roads.

1975 stands out as the year in which the tree removal program was reduced to a maintenance - level service. Barrett's Tree Service was paid \$1,377.00 for cutting trees on Sand Hill Road, Susie Wilson Road, and on town property in Essex Center. Substantial savings have been realized due to the assistance of James Chase and the town highway department in removing trees which are not close to wires or buildings.

A limited replanting program was initiated in 1975. With the help of Alan Wilcox of the Department of Forests and Parks, a landscape plan was drawn for the fire station/ highway garage on Sand Hill Road. Plant materials were purchased from 4-Seasons Garden Center at a cost of \$1,566.25, and the planting was done by Essex Junction High School students under the direction of Mr. Richard Ahern.

The small maples on Foster Road at the Middle School which succumbed to neglect and vandalism were replaced with large Norway maples purchased from Raymond Brothers Landscaping for \$695.

Dutch elm disease continues to take its toll, and the dead trees will be removed as the hazards become evident. Replanting should proceed at a modest pace with top priority going to those areas which are most highly visible to the townspeople and motoring public.

Respectfully Submitted,

Russell S. Reay
Tree Warden

RSR:lr

ZONING OFFICE
ACTIVITIES REPORT
FOR 1975

Zoning Permits issued:

- 99 permits were issued for new houses, with a dollar value of \$2,696,600.
- 57 permits were issued for residential additions and alterations, with a dollar value of \$133,268.
- 1 permit was issued for 1 block of 8 condominium units, with a dollar value of \$160,000.
- 3 permits were issued for apartment buildings, for a dollar value of \$190,000.
- 22 permits were issued for residential detached garages and storage buildings, for a dollar value of \$18,000.
- 7 permits were issued for residential swimming pools, for a dollar value of \$15,874.
- 5 permits were issued for commercial buildings and additions thereto, for a dollar value of \$24,500.
- 1 permit was issued for a bus stop shelter building for a dollar value of \$1,200.
- 22 permits were renewed from the year 1974.
- 3 permit applications were denied.
- 195 new permits were issued for the year with a total dollar value of \$3,239,442. 1974 dollar value was \$2,440,229.
- During the year 141 Certificate of Occupancy inspections were made.
- As Assistant Health Officer for administering the Septic System Regulations, I issued 105 Septic System Permits; to date 80 inspections have been made.
- During the year 10 parties were cited for zoning violations. Each year this figure has declined substantially.
- Note: 23 more zoning permits were handled through this office than the year 1974; 31 more septic permits were issued than the year 1974; 35 more inspections were made than the year 1974.

Respectfully submitted,

Jerry L. Firkey
Zoning Enforcement Officer

VITAL STATISTICS MARRIAGES 1975

NAME OF GROOM	NAME OF BRIDE	RESIDENCE	RESIDENCE	DATE	PLACE OF MARRIAGE
Boyer, Roger R.	Joyce A. Rotax	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Dec. 31, 1974	Richmond, Vt.
Allen, James S.	Deborah M. Beaupre	Rutland, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Jan. 11, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Jarvis, Michael W.	Joanne M. Lee	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Jan. 17, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Provost, Patrick L.	Karen L. Millard	Essex Jct., Vt.	Richmond, Vt.	Jan. 18, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Tower, Scott H.	Amelia S. Bickford	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Jan. 18, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Johnson, Lawrence	Karen L. Baker	Essex, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Jan. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Moore, Gordon L.	Josephine R. Rumrill	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Jan. 26, 1975	Hartland, Vt.
Page, Ronald S.	Beverly J. Peake	Essex, Vt.	Barre, Vt.	Feb. 8, 1975	Montpelier, Vt.
Olsen, Frank P.	Priscilla J. Ketcham	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Feb. 14, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bushey, Wilburt	Karen A. Butler	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Feb. 15, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Lavoie, Jesse P.	Star L. Hamel	Essex, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Feb. 22, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Collier, Charles L.	Joyce I. Poulin	Craftsbury Com., Vt.	Burlington, Vt.	Feb. 28, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Urie, Paul A.	Susan M. Beaumier	Essex, Vt.	Burlington, Vt.	Mar. 1, 1975	Irasburg, Vt.
Russell, Gary M.	Linda C. Benoist	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Mar. 1, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Lemnah, Paul R.	Sylvia M. Perago	Essex Jct., Vt.	Burlington, Vt.	Mar. 3, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Rabidoux, Norman R.	Patricia A. Koch	Essex Jct., Vt.	So. Hero, Vt.	Mar. 8, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bombard, Richard J.	Salley C. Hamel	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Mar. 29, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Sunby, Laurence J.	Colette M. Jacobs	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Mar. 4, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Rickson, Ernest M.	Cynthia A. Dolan	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Apr. 12, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Hammond, David J.	Sheila G. Reynolds	Springfield, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Apr. 12, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Howard, Ross R.	Deborah A. Blow	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Apr. 19, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
DePaul, Jeffery M.	Susan V. Drinkwine	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Apr. 17, 1975	Fairfax, Vt.
Hatch, Jr., E. Franklin	Nancy L. Bisbee	Essex, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Apr. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Lafaille, Gary F.	Lura J. Robinson	So. Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Apr. 26, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Laughlin, Dale C.	Jean P. Smith	Graniteville, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 3, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Pouliot, Reginald P.	Michele R. Brodeur	Essex, Vt.	Winooski, Vt.	May 3, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Allen, Robert C.	Francine A. Danjou	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 3, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Phelps, Jr., Leo D.	Carla J. Newman	Essex, Vt.	Essex, Vt.	May 10, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Utter, Jr., Millard W.	Tammy E. White	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 10, 1975	Colchester, Vt.
Wood, Donald A.	Cathy R. Bartlett	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex, Vt.	May 17, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Horton, Gary R.	Mary P. Bashaw	Williston, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 17, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bouvier, Danial D.	Amber M. Bushey	Essex, Vt.	Essex, Vt.	May 24, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Dewitt, Gary M.	Barbara E. DeForge	Essex, Vt.	Essex, Vt.	May 24, 1975	Montpelier, Vt.
Osborne, Mark W.	Susan R. Jones	Essex, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 24, 1975	Richford, Vt.

VITAL STATISTICS MARRIAGES 1975

NAME OF GROOM	RESIDENCE	NAME OF BRIDE	RESIDENCE	DATE	PLACE OF MARRIAGE
Concannon, James R.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Carol A. Belrose	Swanton, Vt.	May 24, 1975	Swanton, Vt.
Soutiere, Phillippe L.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Geraldine M. Savey	Colchester, Vt.	May 24, 1975	Winooski, Vt.
Sullivan, Timothy C.	Dania, Florida	Donna C. Prior	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 24, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Blondin, Ronald E.	Essex, Vt.	Dona M. Hoyt	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 27, 1975	Cabot, Vt.
Nickerson, Stephen L.	Colchester, Vt.	Debra K. Hunter	Essex, Vt.	May 31, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Gaskill, Dennis D.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Sally A. Cushman	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 31, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Burt, Christopher E.	Hubbardton, Vt.	Mary E. Limoges	Essex Jct., Vt.	May 31, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Tomlinson, Gary P.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Jeanne V. Laramee	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 6, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Blanchard, Roger P.	Milton, Vt.	Patricia A. Laramee	Essex, Vt.	June 6, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Foster, Bruce H.	Essex, Vt.	Susan Scotton	Essex, Vt.	June 7, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Bushey, Jr., Charles A.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Patricia G. Davenport	So. Burlington, Vt.	June 7, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Kenyon, Thomas M.	Essex, Vt.	Linda S. Baker	Essex, Vt.	June 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Kalanges, William C.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Mary J. Lynch	Burlington, Vt.	June 12, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Purvis, Joey A.	Colchester, Vt.	Marcia J. Demore	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 14, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Powers, Gary D.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Karen R. Ramsey	Essex, Vt.	June 14, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Shattuck, Robert R.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Anna M. Mills	Winooski, Vt.	June 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Kruger, Douglas B.	Colchester, Vt.	Marie A. Viele	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Poulin, Alexander D.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Judith M. Hart	Champlain, Vt.	June 21, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Marshall, James A.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Bernadette A. Key	Winooski, Vt.	June 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Hastings, Willard R.	Essex, Vt.	Geraldine N. Gibbs	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 21, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Boardman, Sr., William M.	Essex, Vt.	Rena M. Cota	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 21, 1975	Winooski, Vt.
Culver, Walter S.	Winooski, Vt.	Elizabeth E. Cota	Jericho Center, Vt.	June 22, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Bawa, Harinder S.	St. Jean, Quebec	Nancy E. Yates	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 23, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Rheume, Ernest L.	Vergennes, Vt.	Janice E. Jacob	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 28, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Harris, Mark S.	Essex, Vt.	Kathleen M. Kozak	Essex Jct., Vt.	June 28, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Stata, Richard W.	Alburg, Vt.	Patricia M. O'Brien	Jericho, Vt.	June 28, 1975	Underhill Ctr., Vt.
Blaise, Jr., Marshall J.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Judi A. Hagadorn	Essex Jct., Vt.	July 4, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Esmond, Jr., Reginald A.	Essex, Vt.	Sharyn L. Chesney	Essex Jct., Vt.	July 5, 1975	South Hero, Vt.
Schouten, Stephen R.	Essex, Vt.	Barbara A. Formikell	Essex, Vt.	July 5, 1975	Island Pond, Vt.
Blake, Craig E.	Essex, Vt.	Patricia J. Hougland	Essex Jct., Vt.	July 12, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Greenwood, Gregory J.	Essex, Vt.	Birgit E. Ruest	Burlington, Vt.	July 13, 1975	No. Ferrisburg, Vt.
McNight, Franklyn J.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Joyce A. Nolan	Essex Jct., Vt.	July 18, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
McCrea, Lawrence D.	Burlington, Vt.	Patricia A. Dragon	Winooski, Vt.	July 19, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Hayden, Dennis M.	Essex, Vt.	Pamela J. Phelps	Essex Jct., Vt.	July 25, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Burpee, Stewart A.	Savannah, N.Y.	Ernestine I. Carmer	Essex, Vt.	July 26, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
			Savannah, N.Y.	August 8, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.

VITAL STATISTICS MARRIAGES 1975

NAME OF GROOM	RESIDENCE	NAME OF BRIDE	RESIDENCE	DATE	PLACE OF MARRIAGE
Batchelder, Jr., Robert D.	Winooski, Vt.	Marcy A. Yandow	Essex Jct., Vt.	Aug. 9, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Workman, John D.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Mary J. Devlin	Essex Jct., Vt.	Aug. 9, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Boozan, Ronald S.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Julia S. Fitzgerald	Waterbury, Vt.	Aug. 9, 1975	Waitsfield, Vt.
Eggleston, John R.	Williston, Vt.	Kathleen M. Kaszuba	Essex Jct., Vt.	Aug. 16, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Studley, Mark E.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Kathleen M. Fitzgerald	Essex, Vt.	Aug. 16, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Fox, Gary S.	Los Angeles, Cal.	Martha E. Reed	Essex, Vt.	Aug. 17, 1975	Essex, Vt.
Cordner, Jr., Robert L.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Ann T. Hazelett	Colchester, Vt.	Aug. 20, 1975	Colchester, Vt.
LeBlanc, Brian A.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Ruth J. Grenley	Essex, Vt.	Aug. 22, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Sorrell, Stephen J.	Fairfax, Vt.	Mary A. Lines	Essex, Vt.	Aug. 23, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Beauregard, Carl R.	Essex, Vt.	Linda M. Mathiew	Essex, Vt.	Aug. 30, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Jango, Alex S.	Essex, Vt.	Eileen M. Stanley	Colchester, Vt.	Aug. 30, 1975	Rutland, Vt.
Tudhope, Miles H.	Essex, Vt.	Cheryl A. Stone	Essex, Vt.	Aug. 30, 1975	Guilford, Vt.
Zembryski, David	Essex Jct., Vt.	Linda E. Kretchik	Essex Jct., Vt.	Aug. 30, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Hatin, Raymond A.	So. Burlington, Vt.	Jill E. Boudah	Essex Jct., Vt.	Aug. 30, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Brooker, James E.	Essex, Vt.	Sandra J. Spear	Milton, Vt.	Sept. 12, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
McLure, Lester A.	Essex, Vt.	Candy M. Lavalette	Essex, Vt.	Sept. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Abbott, Nathan M.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Alice H. Burke	Essex Jct., Vt.	Sept. 19, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Clark, Christopher A.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Sarah T. Horning	So. Burlington, Vt.	Sept. 20, 1975	Milton, Vt.
Drew, Cutler G.	Essex, Vt.	Deborah J. Bugbee	Milton, Vt.	Sept. 20, 1975	Milton, Vt.
Hawley, Richard A.	Essex, Vt.	Elizabeth Hebert	Burlington, Vt.	Sept. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Pecor, Lawrence J.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Melinda James	Burlington, Vt.	Sept. 20, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bennison, William T.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Della V. Turner	Atkinson, N.H.	Sept. 27, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Willis, Robert A.	East Hartford, Conn.	Sandra J. Moore	Essex, Vt.	Sept. 27, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Applegate, Jr., Walter R.	Winooski, Vt.	Nan C. Marchacos	Newington, Conn.	Oct. 4, 1975	Braintree Hill, Vt.
Barber, Gilbert A.	Essex, Vt.	Michele D. Basilliere	Essex Jct., Vt.	Oct. 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Raymond, Michael C.	Shelburne, Vt.	Rebecca A. Berard	Essex, Vt.	Oct. 11, 1975	Colchester, Vt.
Tucker, Jr., Donald G.	Essex, Vt.	Babette D. Basilliere	Essex, Vt.	Oct. 11, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Simays, Gregory N.	Westford, Vt.	Gail Ann LaForce	Essex, Vt.	Oct. 17, 1975	Fairfax, Vt.
Brock, Thomas C.	Burlington, Vt.	Leslie A. Kolste	Essex Jct., Vt.	Oct. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.
Sharp, David C.	Williston, Vt.	Christine D. Johnston	Essex Jct., Vt.	Oct. 18, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Clarke, Michael F.	Rutland, Vt.	Sharon M. Driscoll	Essex Jct., Vt.	Oct. 18, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Clough, David R.	Newburyport, Mass.	Cliona M. Murphy	Newburyport, Mass.	Oct. 22, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Ward, Thomas E.	Williston, Vt.	Eva L. Curtis	Essex Jct., Vt.	Oct. 25, 1975	Bakersfield, Vt.
Kinner, Linus W.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Kim M. Spear	Essex, Vt.	Oct. 26, 1975	Fairfield, Vt.
	Watertown, N.Y.	Judith A. Smith	Watertown, N.Y.	Nov. 1, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.

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NAME OF GROOM	RESIDENCE	NAME OF BRIDE	RESIDENCE	DATE	PLACE OF MARRIAGE
Bueb, Thomas D.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Mary Ann Winship	Essex Jct., Vt.	November 1, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Renoit, Edward W.	Winooski, Vt.	Susan L. Kirby	Essex, Vt.	November 21, 1975	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Blanchette, Henry O.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Barbara L. Thompson	Essex, Vt.	November 29, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
McElroy, Bruce S.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Pamela J. Bushey	Essex Jct., Vt.	November 29, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Mitchell, Frank E.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Phyllis K. Franklin	Essex Jct., Vt.	December 13, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Round, Robert E.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Linda Bessett	Essex Jct., Vt.	December 18, 1975	So. Burlington, Vt.
Rocque, William L.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Exilda M. Emery	Essex Jct., Vt.	December 18, 1975	Newport, Vt.
Stuart, Gerald M.	Essex, Vt.	Jane E. Messimer	Essex, Vt.	December 20, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Sumner, Robert S.	Essex Jct., Vt.	Marcia R. Cedarfield	Winooski, Vt.	December 20, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bernard, James H.	Essex, Vermont	Susan D. Lacy	Essex Jct., Vt.	December 21, 1975	Wilder, Vt.
					Underhill Ctr., Vt.

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NAME	AGE	DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	RESIDENCE
Thelma L. Lyons	62	January 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
George A. Pierce	74	January 12, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Georgette M. McLure	50	January 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Ida Fountain	89	January 20, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Adelia M. Gauthier	80	February 2, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Maurice Morin	45	February 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Jessica Niles	93	February 25, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Cecilia Von Sitas	82	February 26, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Arthur I. Willard	87	March 5, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bernard H. Devoid, Jr.	28	March 14, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Elsie Roberts	72	March 28, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Dora P. Parizo	76	March 30, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Trudy (Gertrude) S. Mabry	58	April 5, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Bernard J. McNamara	65	April 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Frances J. Kirby	56	April 22, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Genevieve M. Sourdiff	64	May 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Ila M. Whitton	89	May 3, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Ezra Stokes	77	May 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Fred Woodman	61	May 30, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Eli Paul Burbo	42	May 31, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Edward H. Adorizio	50	June 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Armand Meilleur	63	June 11, 1975	Barre, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Charles B. Adams	23	June 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Alton C. Palmer	61	June 15, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Sara R. Prescott	74	June 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Alice Kernan	70	June 29, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Raymond P. Bessery	32	July 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Joseph D. Pattison	52	July 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Mark A. Bissonnette, Jr.	2 days	July 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Steven W. Barnett	16	July 13, 1975	Berlin, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Maria G. Lambert	88	July 16, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Edward F. Buley	81	July 31, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
John Pajak	71	August 5, 1975	Essex, Vt.	Essex, Vt.
Dorothy Torrey	52	August 7, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex, Vt.
Alice G. Heath	85	August 7, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Edith M. Carlson	75	August 27, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.

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Howard Doon	58	September 3, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Ines B. Pajak	77	September 8, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Lee J. Irish	65	September 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Thomas E. Gunn	57	September 21, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Ctr., Vt.
Constance O. O'Neil	71	September 23, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Robert Thompson	46	July 31, 1973	Boston, Mass.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Leslie A. Cross	73	October 1, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Leon L. LaBounty	66	October 22, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Lillian A. Teachout	72	November 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
George E. Friend	72	November 8, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Frank D. Pierce	40	November 12, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
William Elder	37	November 19, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Rose M. Dolan	83	November 24, 1975	Colchester, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Fanny B. Woods	56	November 27, 1975	Waterbury, Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.
Earl Seaver	79	November 30, 1975	Essex Jct., Vt.	Essex Jct., Vt.

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BIRTHS
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NAME OF CHILD	DATE	PLACE OF BIRTH	FATHERS NAME	MOTHERS NAME
Manning, Justin E.	Jan. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	C. Jonathan Manning	Jane Ellen Holt
Brunelle, Ryan S.	Jan. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Ronald R. Brunelle	Susan I. Danielson
Crozier, Mark C.	Jan. 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Floyd M. Crozier	Susan R. Moczydlowski
Roya, Keith C.	Jan. 16, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Clarence M. Roy	Carolyn L. Knutson
Shea, Melissa A.	Jan. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Lawrence R. Shea, Jr.	Joanne Lambert
Grant, Bradley W.	Jan. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Stanley W. Grant	Margaret E. Pelow
Rich, Aaron J.	Jan. 22, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David J. Rich	Karen M. St. Pierre
Rich, Adam J.	Jan. 22, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David J. Rich	Karen M. St. Pierre
Trombley, Andrew S.	Jan. 23, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Jerry A. Trombley	Annette Ida M. Nordhorn
King, Jeffrey T.	Jan. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Arthur W. King	Barbara J. O'Connor
Cooley, Jennie E.	Jan. 26, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Ray N. Cooley	Leslie J. Gibson
McNall, Timothy Giles	Jan. 30, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Larry B. McNall	Carole A. Lackey
Blow, Christopher T.	Jan. 31, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert E. Blow	Crystal L. Frazier
Kershner, Daniel J.	Feb. 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Benjamin E. Kershner, Jr.	Kathryn S. Zehnacker
Koval, Glen T.	Feb. 5, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Edward P. Koval	Margaret C. Birskevich
Hunt, Hillary U.	Feb. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Peter D. Hunt	Kathleen M. Adorisio
Culver, Robert S.	Feb. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard N. Culver	Marie A. Devino
Kenney, Nathan J.	Feb. 16, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James R. Kenney	Charlote A. Judd
Young, Nathan W.	Feb. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Cary A. Young	Margaret A. Jarvis
Warren, Michael D.	Feb. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David O. Warren	Mary A. Bellino
Washburn, Krista J.	Feb. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Harry E. Washburn	Sally A. Austin
Olufsen, Brenda L.	Feb. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Douglas E. Olufsen	Susan A. Damaziak
LaCasse, Scott M.	Feb. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Lloyd F. LaCasse	Mary L. Harding
Buckland, David E.	Mar. 3, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Hollis E. Buckland	Anna G. Thayer
Black, Rabert L.	Mar. 3, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Harold E. Black	Donna M. Cadhue
Rodgers, Gregory D.	Mar. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Alan G. Rodgers	Margaret M. Maguire
Palmer, Shannon B.	Mar. 5, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Alan D. Palmer	Christine J. Labounty
Lavigne, David A.	Mar. 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Leo R. Lavigne	Katherine A. Day
Martin, Scott A.	Mar. 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Christopher L. Martin	Bette A. Lee
Christman, Kelley M.	Mar. 12, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James W. Christman	Nancy L. Mead
McMullan, Charles C.	Mar. 15, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert J. McMullan	Amy E. Johnston
Orzell, Mark P.	Mar. 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Thomas P. Orzell	Delphine M. Bourdeau
Reidy, Thomas J.	Mar. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Frederick J. Reidy	Helen W. Donahue

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Jacobs, Daniel B.	Mar. 19, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Gary C. Jacobs	Karen M. Gray
Ellenberger, Carolyn L.	Mar. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Andrew R. Ellenberger	Kathryn A. Kohinks
Gilman, Ryan A.	Mar. 24, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert A. Gilman	Shirley M. Berteau
Cadmus, Alan J.	Mar. 25, 1975	Springfield, Vt.	William C. Cadmus	Christine A. Asonевич
Fay, Scott J.	Mar. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Alan A. Fay	Kathleen J. McAuliffe
Fleming, Michael E.	Mar. 26, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Edward C. Fleming	Audrey G. Gokey
Waterman, Jessica L.	Mar. 26, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Philip F. Waterman II	Kerry J. Fansler
Milliken, Brian J.	Mar. 26, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert A. Milliken	Cheryl Mitchel
Mayo, Jason M.	Mar. 27, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Roger A. Mayo	Barbara A. Mongeon
Harding, Gregory C.	Mar. 30, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Matthew J. Harding	Patricia Jashyn
Burnor, Julie M.	Mar. 31, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Gareld A. Burnor	Eileen M. Drew
Abell, Kristopher J.	Apr. 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James W. Abell	Vickie L. Bushey
Cottrell, Elizabeth A.	Apr. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Peter Edwin Cottrell	Patricia D. Mordawski
Packard, David Ulrich	Apr. 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Mark E. Packard	Audrey C. Ulrich
Ghatalia, Nimish A.	Apr. 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Ashwin K. Ghatalia	Bhanu A. Doshi
Hayes, Michael S.	Apr. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Stephen Hayes	Deanna L. Willard
Clary, Ryan H.	Apr. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Frank N. Clary	Christine H. Smith
Sargent, Adam M.	Apr. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Ralph B. Sargent	Barbara L. Bryant
Stubbert, Sean C.	Apr. 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James M. Stubbert	Patricia A. Reardon
Marshall, Terri A.	Apr. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James L. Marshall	Sandra J. Lund
Kamerling, Erika Lyn	Apr. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Frederick R. Kamerling	Eileen T. Minck
Curren, Michael Bixby	Apr. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Jack Curren	Nancy M. Jurva
Desjardin, Amy L.	Apr. 22, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Wayne L. Desjardin	Anne M. Burns
Shatney, Nina J.	Apr. 22, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard J. Shatney	Rebecca P. Pope
Norton, Catharine L.	Apr. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Hubert W. Norton	Sharon L. Layn
Sabourin, Daryl T.	Apr. 26, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Joseph A. Sabourin	Diana L. Douglas
Stewart, Tracy M.	Apr. 29, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Lee R. Stewart	Mary O. Mixer
Bigelow, Amy Beth	Apr. 27, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Bigelow, Clifford E.	Kim Laurie Hill
Tomlinson, Devin M.	Apr. 29, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James H. Tomlinson	Rosemary Morgan
Lynch, Timothy D.	Apr. 30, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David E. Lynch	Kathleen M. Walsh
Commo, Jessica L.	May 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John J. Commo	Paula L. Patterson
Dilego, David J.	May 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Pasquale DiLego	Joan E. Hurley
Jacoby, Michael E.	May 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Charles G. Jacoby	Mary Ritti
Drury, Lara K.	May 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Harris K. Drury III	Elberta A. Eaton

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Cornely, Daniel E.	May 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Edward V. Cornely	Ellen B. Whitaker
Lemire, Daniel S.	May 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Joseph P.R. Lemire, Sr.	Virginia M. Latimer
Hapke, Marnee Luck's	May 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David T. Hapke	Janice C. Isselee
DeVoid, Michelle M.	May 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Raymond J. DeVoid	Anna M. Tye
Peddle, Rennie T.	May 19, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Donald E. Peddie	Julianne T. Herz
Durham, Laura D.	May 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert J. Durham	Delcie R. Chaplin
Rosner, Raymond J.	May 26, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Raymond J. Rosner	Mary J. Paterson
Whittaker, Melissa M.	May 30, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Thomas D. Whittaker	Jacqueline M. Desso
Spencer, Sarah A.	May 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Malcolm M. Spencer	Gail E. Echo
Magish II, Jacob J.	June 2, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Jacob J. Magish	Marion I. Gust
Slayton, Benjamin F.	June 3, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	William M. Slayton	Carol E. White
Rauer, Darren K.	June 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert K. Rauer	Susan A. Burke
Farland, Adam C.	June 8, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Craig M. Farland	Claire M. Barcomb
Bigelow, James J.	June 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Edward C. Bigelow	Mary M. Hamlin
Beane, Dawn K.	June 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Paul M. Beane	Sherry L. Spencer
LaPointe, Amber C.	June 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard I. LaPointe	Carol A. Mongeon
Hofmann, Bjorn T.	June 27, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Til Henrich Hofmann	Wilma P. Junkert
Liu, Sim Ping	June 28, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Ken Kuang-Fu Liu	Yali Lo
Coutu, David T.	July 2, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Jean P. Coutu	Joyce A. Thompson
Ingalls, Jamie A.	July 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard S. Ingalls	Elizabeth E. Vanyush
Brown, Elizabeth A.	July 8, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Gary A. Brown	Carol A. Chatot
Bissonnette, Jr., Mark A.	July 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Mark A. Bissonnette, Sr.	Deborah M. Fitzpatrick
Andrews, Keith M.	July 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert E. Andrews	Ruth Stahley
Knox Jr., Randall G.	July 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Randall G. Knox, Sr.	Donna L. Therrien
Pierce, Jeffrey D.	July 16, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Steven A. Pierce	Patricia L. Samuels
Walker, Stephanie L.	July 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Larry J. Walker	Helen M. Lemay
Beauchamp, Joel D.	July 19, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Louis J. Beauchamp	Joan M. Taylor
Jones, Scott A.	July 22, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Carl R. Jones	Lila M. Boulay
Rich, Timothy J.M.	July 24, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Leo W. Rich	Patricia M. McGrath
Trombley, Steven J.	July 31, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David L. Trombley	Sandra M. Fitzgerald
Scardamalia, Angela B.	July 31, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Theodore G. Scardamalia	Elizabeth A. Voorheis
Putzier, Timothy M.	Aug. 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John W. Putzier	Mary J. McKenzie
Burcin, Kate	Aug. 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John D. Burcin	Catherine Barkwell
Valway, Nicole C.	Aug. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard M. Valway	Diane M. Blanchette
Renzulli, Lisa M.	Aug. 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Michael J. Renzulli	Linda J. Gadue

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Poulin, Ricky R.	Aug. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Yvon Poulin	Helen G. Lessard
Foster, Chad A.	Aug. 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Lloyd P. Foster	Sandra J. Frances
Thompson, Mark E.	Aug. 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Harland W. Thompson	Brenda J. Randall
McGinty, Alyson A.	Aug. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	William J. McGinty	Lorraine D. Jackson
Fournier, Rosaire J.	Aug. 28, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David L. Fournier	Patsy N. Miller
Douse, Jeremy A.	Sept. 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard W. Douse, Jr.	Diane M. Copeland
Blair, Lauren D.	Sept. 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	George L. Blair	Dianne M. Havey
Vajda, Kinga M.	Sept. 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Arpad M. Vajda	Susanne Lam
Couillard, Todd R.	Sept. 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John R. Couillard	Susan T. Dupont
Reay, Heather M.	Sept. 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Russell S. Reay	Donna L. Clark
Marceau, Scott W.	Sept. 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Stuart R. Marceau	Linda Evans
Dattilio, Patrick M.	Sept. 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Michael D. Dattilio	Cheryl A. Giroux
Howard, Winny Jean	Sept. 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Winfred R. Howard	Phyllis A. Francis
Lamb, Christina K.	Sept. 15, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Anthony B. Lamb	Susan J. Ivers
Marquardt, Kurt G.	Sept. 16, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Willy A. Marquardt	Elizabeth C. Kurzik
Bombardier, David J.	Sept. 24, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Albert E. Bombardier	Marie J. Cross
Gallagher, Kimberly A.	Sept. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Thomas J. Gallagher, Jr.	Jerilyn A. Finnegan
Austin, Stephanie L.	Sept. 29, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David C. Austin	Gail E. Sullivan
Harpoulos, Christos N.	Oct. 4, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Nicholas Harpoulos	Lela Koutrobis
O'Sullivan, Jason M.	Oct. 5, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Michael J. O'Sullivan	JoAnn LeBlanc
Arnold, Joanna L.	Oct. 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John William Arnold	Linda J. Freeman
LaMarche, Erin W.	Oct. 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David LaMarche	Jane A. Merrick
Beck, Lauren F.	Oct. 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Walter B. Beck	Adele F. Foley
Burroughs, Kadi B.	Oct. 13, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John B. Burroughs	Susan L. Connors
Stevens, Simbiti O. G.	Oct. 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Tommy S. Stevens	Barbara J. Jackson
Hynes, Brian T.	Oct. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John L. Hynes	Sarah I. Stewart
White, Ritchie A.	Oct. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Arch C. White	Mary Verna Robare
Marvin, Amy E.	Oct. 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Michael R. Marvin	Barbara Nord
Shibles, Chantal K.	Oct. 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard A. Shibles	Karen Kelley
Lavery, Kevin R.	Oct. 21, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Richard E. Lavery	Patricia A. Walker
Kolczynski, Michael R.	Oct. 29, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert W. Kolczynski	Lois A. Pracht
Pietryka, Lori M.	Nov. 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Francis A. Pietryka	Roberta M. Johnson
Maddocks, Megan R.	Nov. 3, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Donald B. Maddocks	Priscilla Spaulding

VITAL STATISTICS
BIRTHS
1975

NAME OF CHILD	DATE	PLACE OF BIRTH	FATHERS NAME	MOTHERS NAME
Zeno, Giles M.	Nov. 7, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Carl A. Zeno	Mary Egan Archambault
Lavoie, Ann M.	Nov. 8, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James E. Lavoie	Margaret P. Pariseau
Haggerty, Michael J.	Nov. 9, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	John B. Haggerty	Marjorie L. King
Grimsley, Jason F.	Nov. 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	George M. Grimsley	Julia L. Wood
Hayden, Jeanne H.	Nov. 14, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Roderick J. Hayden	Betsy Sue Post
Tamlyn, Kevin M.	Nov. 16, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert Tamlyn	Karen A. Fitzgerald
Gildemeister, Franz W.	Nov. 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Gary W. Gildemeister	Patricia J. Winkler
Cantrell, Jody K.	Nov. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James K. Cantrell	Linda J. Way
Derry, Eric G.	Nov. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Bernard A. Derry	Colleen A. McSoley
Phelps, Joshua D.	Nov. 25, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	David W. Phelps	Valerie G. Poulos
Mahoney, Kerry A.	Dec. 1, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Thomas W. Mahoney	Marilyn J. Desso
Willey, Allyson S.	Dec. 2, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	William H. Willey	Carol J. Stewart
Chaffee, Kary L.	Dec. 3, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Leland H. Chaffee	Robin L. Dumeny
Boozan, Sonia L.	Dec. 6, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	James E. Boozan	Sharron L. Thomas
Bingel, Lori Suzanne	Dec. 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Bernard J. Bingel	Elsa A. Carlson
Kelley, Heidi L.	Dec. 10, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Daniel V. Kelley	Linda L. Austin
Kamath, Aparna	Dec. 11, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Prabhakar H. Kamath	Nirmala Shenoy
Higgins, Garth E.	Dec. 17, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Edward Higgins	Diana D. Tregoning
Stone, Sarah G.	Dec. 18, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Guy W. Stone	Sandra L. Sargent
McGowan, Michael R.	Dec. 20, 1975	Burlington, Vt.	Robert W. McGowan	Margaret J. Richards

SERVICES

Below are listed some of the Services or assessments against the Town which your tax dollars support.

E	Registration and maintenance of voter checklists.	T	Drainage and roads.
E	Conduct of Town and General Elections.	E	Bridges maintenance.
E	Recording: Deeds, U.C.C.'s, attachments, liens, births, deaths, marriages, property maps. Licenses: Marriage, Hunting and Fishing, Dogs. Liquor outlets.	E	Mass Transportation (CCTA).
E	Provides: Tax forms, Motor Vehicle forms.	E	Visiting Nurse Association.
E	Voting machines Town and Village and General Elections.	Tl	Libraries.
E	Sale of: Food Stamps.	E	Cemeteries.
E	Health Officer services.	E	Regional Planning Commission.
E	Maintains Landfill.	T	Town Planning function.
E	Property assessment and production of Grand List including real estate, personal property and polls, Village and Town.	T	Town Zoning regulation.
E	Enforcement of dog ordinances.	T	Town Fire Service.
E	Maintains, Tax maps.	E	Extension Service.
T	Street Lighting.	E	Burlington International Games.
T	Signs, directional and regulatory.	E	Retired Senior Volunteer Program.
T	Old Age assistance tax.	T	Public Shade Tree Care and Replacement.
T	Chittenden County Tax.	T	Public Water Supply.
		E	Winooski Valley Park District.
		E	Champlain Water District.
		E	Vermont League of Cities and Towns.
		Tr	Town Recreation Program.
		T	Sewerage System, Fort Ethan Allen, planning for remainder of Town.
		T	Town Service Officer.

E indicates service is provided to the entire town including Villages.

T indicates service is provided outside Village.

Tl Town contributes to Brownell Library in an amount equal to cost of Essex Free Library.

Tr Recreation programs in addition to Village Recreation Programs are open to all.

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